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## BOERS HELD IN CHECK

### But Kitchener Is Not Yet Able to Expel Them From Cape Colony.

### COMMANDOES ARE ACTIVE

### Dispatch From Vryberg Dated December 20, Says Boers Were Moving Westward.

London Dec 28 3 a m—The latest dispatches from South Africa show that Lord Kitchener is successful in holding the Boers in check But he has not yet been successful in expelling them from Cape Colony while different commandoes continue to display astonishing activity over an immense wide field It is questionable whether his proclamation will have much effect until General De Wet has been captured The Boers are likely to regard it as a sign of weakness and to have a wholesome dread of vengeance if they surrender.

The proclamation is approved by the party at home that favors conciliatory terms to the Boers as a step in the right direction

Queen Victoria it is said has approved the proposal to inaugurate a new order of knighthood to reward officers who have served in South Africa The order will probably be called the Star of Africa

A dispatch from Vryberg dated December 20 says that Boers in considerable numbers were making a movement westward They had 100 wagons The dispatch suggests that they were trekking to Damaraland although the Boers themselves denied any such intention

## KITCHENER'S DISPATCHES REPORT BOER ACTIVITY

London Dec 27—The following dispatch from General Kitchener was received from Pretoria under today's (Thursday's) date

Yesterday two hundred Boers attacked a small police post near Barkly. The police gallantly drove them off before reinforcements from Johannesburg arrived. The Boers damaged the mining machinery in the neighborhood.

The Boers attacked Utrecht at 2 o'clock this morning and were driven off

The Boers held up a train three miles west of Pan and were driven off

The eastern force of Boers in Cape Colony was headed yesterday and driven in the direction of Venterstad

The western force is still being driven north through Strydenburg

## PROMINENT INDIANA MASON SHOT BY UNKNOWN PERSON

Indianapolis Ind Dec 27—William H Smythe secretary of the Grand Masonic lodge of the state was shot in the head in his office in the Masonic building shortly after noon today

Mr Smythe says a woman did the shooting but the police have so far been unable to locate her It is thought he cannot live

Lewis A Coleman an attorney found Mr Smythe shortly after he was shot He went to Mr Smythe's office in the Masonic building shortly after noon for the purpose of transacting business and found Mr Smythe lying in a pool of blood on the floor

The wounded man was in a semi-conscious condition but was able at intervals to utter a few coherent words He was able to say that he was seated at his desk when a blond woman entered his office and asked to use the telephone He said she had been in several times before and that he last call irritated him and he refused her request He claims that after he refused her the use of the telephone she drew a revolver from the bosom of her dress and fired He said his son would give all the information desired

Shortly after the tragedy Dr Elmer Smythe the son referred to came in He insisted that he knew nothing of the woman

A surgeon was called immediately after the shooting and when he arrived he found that he [illegible] for the bullet The wound was directly behind the right ear and in a short time pieces of the bullet were found and extracted

Soon after the shooting Mr Smythe asked for his son Elmer and requested that all leave the room for a few minutes which was done Later he said his son would give the name of the woman and all about her The son persisted in his statement that he knew nothing of her

An attempt was made to locate the woman at the Lorraine but inquiry developed the fact that there was or had been no woman connected with the hotel who could have done the shooting

When a search for the woman who is said to have done the shooting failed to reveal any trace of her the theory was advanced that Mr Smythe had attempted to take his own life The persons who advanced the theory say it is strengthened by the fact that within the last year Mr Smythe had threatened to take his own life His son said that at will their father had been very despondent at times during the past year They were unwilling to believe he had attempted his own life

Mr Smythe is widely known in Indiana He came to this city 25 years ago from Clinton Ind to take the position of secretary to the Masonic grand lodge of Indiana—a position which he has filled to the present time He is one of the best known Masons in the state and is highly esteemed

Early in the summer Mr Smythe received a sunstroke which incapacitated him for work. In fact he has never recovered

## MILLER BOY WAS FOUND AFTER ALL NIGHT SEARCH

Indianapolis Dec 27—Sidney Miller the 7 year old son of Samuel D Miller and grandson of former United States Attorney General W H H Miller who was kidnaped by his mother yesterday evening was this morning recovered Mrs Miller and the child were found at Lawrence about 3 o'clock asleep in the home of a man named Marshall where they obtained lodging for the night. The police reached the place at daylight Mrs Miller gave up the child and was not placed under arrest The entire police force and detective force were called into the case

It appears that Mrs Miller did not reach Brightwood in time for the train and forming new plans hired another cabman and was taken to Lawrence where she spent the night

The detectives and other searchers were unable to find any trace of the cabman until early this morning when he was found at his home 117 East Ohio street George Senour the cabman said he was ordered to drive to Massachusetts avenue station after going to the union station He did not notice he said, that the girl had left the carriage At Massachusetts avenue Mrs Miller seemed to change her mind and ordered him to go on to Brightwood At this station it was ascertained that the train which Mrs Miller had counted on taking had left Senour left her at Twenty fifth street contracting with a liveryman to take her to Lawrence When Senour returned to the city he put his hack in the stable and went to his house which was unknown to the police It was not until he was found that a clew was obtained that would lead to any trace of the woman Senour said he did not suspect for a moment that the child was being kidnaped

The police then started on the right track and had but little difficulty in finding the mother and her child

Mrs Miller was formerly Miss Helen Karcher of Pittston Pa She married young Miller nine years ago

## AMERICAN CHEMISTS

### Discussed Use of Arsenic in Beer---New Test For Oleomargarine.

Chicago Dec 27—Leading chemists from all sections of the country assembled in convention today in the auditorium of the Lewis institute to attend the twenty second annual meeting of the American Chemical society The meeting was opened by an address by Dr W R Smith president of the Chicago section to which Wm McMurtrie of New York president of the general society responded The remainder of the forenoon session was devoted to reading a number of new scientific papers

The Friday morning conference will be held at the Northwestern university school where reports from the retiring officers and committees will be made and the election of president and councilors will be held

The possibility of arsenical poisoning in beer was the topic of popular interest at the evening session The 100 chemists from all parts of the country turned from discourses on atoms and elements and joined in the argument growing out of the recent wholesale poisoning in England

Dr Edward Gudeman charged the brewers with willfully introducing into beer an arsenical antiseptic to prevent the fermentation of the beverage from progressing too far and his assertion was the sensation of the session

Several other chemists spoke on the question urging that all beer and other liquors brewed should be thoroughly analyzed to protect the consumers from dangers of poison.

A C Hale secretary of the society read a paper by Charles A Parsons of New Hampshire college Durham, N H in which a recipe was given for distinguishing oleomargarine from butter The sample the writer said should be placed in boiling milk and cooled being stirred through the process If the fat collects into a ball the sample is oleomargarine If not it is butter

In the afternoon the members of the society visited local points of interest while in the evening the delegates dined at the Auditorium and President McMurtrie delivered an address upon condition prospects and future educational requirements of the chemical industries

## ALL THE NEWS

Fair today and tomorrow variable winds

Slightly colder and fair this [illegible] in New York [illegible]

New York stocks yielded the pressure of profit taking but then recovered strength [illegible] large [illegible]

Chicago wheat closed steady with May [illegible] lower at [illegible]

### STATE

The Colorado Bar association has unanimously agreed to a bill to be submitted to the next legislature providing for the [illegible] of the [illegible] and the [illegible] of the number of supreme judges [illegible] The proposed law [illegible] contemplates any extra expense to the state [illegible] the salary of the additional judge

### FOREIGN

The [illegible] has been summoned to meet January 8

### GENERAL

Thomas Sulzer father of Congressman Sulzer of New York died yesterday at his home in Elizabeth N J He was 83 years old

Currier and Ives who did business as [illegible] at 1 Park Row New York made an assignment today for the benefit of creditors to William N Bonynge

Abraham Johnson and wife both over 80 years of age were bound tortured and robbed last night at their home near Marietta Ohio

The 250 employes of the Lehigh Valley Coal company at Hazleton Drifton Prospect and Franklin collieries went back to work after being on strike since last Friday The men struck because they were not receiving their pay every two weeks They have been assured that the company will hereafter pay wages semi-monthly

### MINING

The management of the New Zealand company has declared a 10 cent dividend the proceeds of the sale of the New Zealand mining claim W S Stratton is the probable purchaser

Some conjectures regarding a sensational strike The company's officers smile and say nothing though the stock advances a cent a day

Mary McKinney has declared a 3 cent dividend and an officer announces some important developments

Doctor Jack Pot has made several shipments but the price of the stock declines Any amount of the new shares is offered at par

There is much indignation among the mining men of this vicinity against the high assessment as levied against property in the Cripple Creek district A motion is under way to protest the taxes and declare them unlawful

The Butt workings of the Free Coinage have shut down for a week

Stafford and Stacy lessees on the Zenobia have cut a vein two feet wide returning values of from $50 to $70 a ton

A two foot vein has been cut on the [illegible] on Bull hill

Lessees on the Gurley of the Rose Nicol company have cut a fine body of ore

Allison and Stumpff leasing on the Whisper workings of the C [illegible] reign have made a good strike in the second level

The main shaft on Stratton's Independence is to be sunk to 1,500 feet total development work now planned will necessitate an expenditure of about half a million dollars

### LOCAL

A number of criminal cases were before the justices yesterday

Elk lodge are joining in the movement to refrain from [illegible] in the teeth

The answer of S B Williams and the [illegible] company in the Orphan Bill case was filed yesterday

Mr W Arundel Orchard the organist leaves for New Zealand next month He gives a farewell concert January 8

### CHICAGO DOGBERRYS

#### Exemplary Police Officers Always in Bed by Midnight.

Chicago Dec 27 Mayor Harrison Chief of Police Kipley and other officials were put on the rack by the grand jury today From first to last they pleaded innocence of any knowledge of any vice or crime in Chicago They did not know of their own personal knowledge that basements and saloons have been open after midnight and frequently all night

"I am always in bed at midnight" was the answer of Police Inspector Kalas and I don't know of any places open after that hour

The other entered similar pleas They did not know of any gambling They knew of no tribute money being paid by dives for police protection Every prize fight was said to have been an exhibition The grand jury adjourned for the night split in two factions One faction demands the indictment of four city officials and a number of dive keepers The other side insists there must be no indictments They argue that conviction will not result in court should indictments be returned

### MICHIGAN BANK CLOSED

Washington Dec 27—The First National bank of White Pigeon Mich was closed tonight by the order of the comptroller of the currency on receipt of telegrams from National Bank Examiner J W Selden that the board of directors of the bank had passed a resolution requesting the comptroller to take charge

Examiner Selden has been appointed receiver

### CORNER IN BEANS

Chicago Dec 27—A corner in beans is being engineered by the Albert Dickinson company Within two weeks the price has risen from $1 84 per bushel to $2 20 and dealers predict a further advance to $2 50 within a fortnight Heavy purchases by the government are said to be at the bottom of the boom in prices

### IT WAS NOT CROWE

Muncie Ind Dec 27—Detectives who in response to a telephone message last night, went to a point near Shideler eight miles from Muncie to arrest a man supposed to be Pat Crowe wanted in connection with the Cudahy kidnaping case returned today and reported that the man suspected is not Crowe

### SECRETARY HAY RECOVERED

Washington Dec 27—Secretary Hay has recovered from his indisposition and was again at his desk in the state department today This being diplomatic day he had many callers the Chinese minister being the first. Neither the secretary nor the minister had any late advices from Peking

## INQUIRY AT WEST POINT

### Cadets Continued Their Stories of The Hazing System.

### BOOZ'S BROTHER TESTIFIED

### He Told of Letters Received From Oscar Charging Brutality Mr. Phillips' Statements.

West Point N Y Dec 27—There was an unusually large attendance of spectators at the military court of inquiry today Horace C Booz a civil engineer of Buffalo and P O Phillips of East Cleveland who was heralded as a congressman but told the press representatives that he was never elected to congress were the chief witnesses The former's testimony was principally a refutation of the statements made about his brother Former Cadet Oscar L Booz of Bristol Pa who died recently Several of the cadet witnesses during the progress of the investigation had accused Booz of having shown cowardice in his fight with Cadet Keller in August 1898 and they also accused him of untruthfulness

Lieutenant Coe inquiry [illegible] in his testimony last week stated that Booz was not possessed of sufficient mental capacity to pass the necessary examination at this academy His brother stated today that this was not so as the manner in which the former cadet had passed his examination at the preparatory school at Bustleton Pa was sufficient to prove that Oscar was possessed of sufficient intellect. He said Oscar was not untruthful and he was anything but a coward

Mr Phillips' principal reason for appearing before the court was to show that he had not visited the academy in 1898 for the purpose of saving his son from being hazed

One of the witnesses at the morning session informed the court that he had seen Cadet Breth so far exhausted from severe exercising that stimulants had to be given him in his tent in 1897

In the afternoon two other cadets of Breth's class said they had seen him in a nervous condition his body arms and legs twitching after he had been hazed but one of them said he believed Breth was pretending prostration

It was learned after the court had adjourned that Horace Booz had not volunteered his testimony He was summoned by the court, and arrived here last Saturday after the court had adjourned until after Christmas General Brooke General Bates and General Clous offered to take his testimony on Saturday but he objected saying that he wished as much publicity given to his testimony in his brother's behalf as had been given to the testimony against him on the grounds of untruthfulness and cowardly conduct

#### The Testimony in Detail

When the court assembled Cadet Willis G Peace of North Carolina of the first class was the first witness He said he knew Former Cadet Breth and saw him hazed in the tent of ex Cadet Boyer in 1897 The witness after being frequently asked to describe the forms of hazing to which Breth was subjected replied "I cannot exactly describe them in detail but I think they were the usual forms such as holding out Indian clubs until it became tiresome doing 'Wooden Willie' and other things which were in vogue at that time Breth was a very awkward man and did not seem to be able to do anything right He was subject to nervousness and was easily rattled

Continuing the witness said "I got a letter from Breth about six months after he left here In it he tried to explain his difficulty in doing things right while at the post here and said that he had been suffering from sickness all the time he was in camp He had hoped to get better in barracks but did not

"What was the nature of his sickness?" inquired General Clous

"I do not remember sir"

"Have you got the letter"

"No sir I looked for it but must have destroyed it long since

The witness in reply to General Clous said that he knew of about eight fights having occurred during the first two years he was in the academy and about nine during the next.

#### No Hard Feeling

Is there any hatred or feeling in existence between first class men and fourth class men? asked General Bates

"I don't believe there is any feeling on the part of the first class men against the fourth class men but there may be on the part of the fourth class men against the upper class" replied Cadet Peace "This may be accounted for by the treatment of the lower class men but this feeling passes away when the cadets are advanced to the third class"

Peace went on to say that he did not consider exercising brutal

"Then you don't think that being required to exert yourself physically against your will almost to the point of exhaustion brutal?" exclaimed General Bates

"I was exercised myself sir and I did not think it was brutal It was uncomfortable but I never knew it to result in permanent injury"

The witness said there were some men who used to haze more than others and that some of them seemed to be without the faculty of judging when a man had enough

After being closely questioned as to what he would consider brutality in hazing the witness replied "I should say that if a cadet were hazed to such a degree that he would be injured or had to be helped by his fellows the hazing would be brutal"

This answer was given after General Bates had intimated to the witness that in case a cadet died from the effects of such hazing the law would hold all of those who took part in it responsible for the man's death

Cadet Allen C Kaye of Minnesota who came next said he had seen Cadet Breth the night before he left the academy. Breth seemed very much cast down at being found deficient and the witness sympathized with him Breth did not complain of illness nor did he say anything of his treatment by the cadets while here

In reply to General Brooke the witness said he had never hazed a man beyond the limit of his endurance He never saw a man faint or become exhausted from hazing, and had not heard of such a case

"Do you think it is for the physical benefit to a cadet to have him eagled 5 times?" inquired General Clous

"Yes sir I should say it is I did it myself and I think it benefited me" was the ready reply

Cadet John A Pearson of Tennessee when asked if he ever hazed Cadet Booz answered in the negative In describing several forms of exercising he said

"Choosing is the most exhausting The man is required to get down and use his hands and legs as rapidly as possible in pulling himself over the ground

#### Oscar Booz's Brother

The next witness was H C Booz civil engineer of Buffalo N Y a brother of the late Cadet Oscar L Booz The witness had first seen his brother during the time he was in the West Point academy in 1898 Mr Booz continued

"I received a letter from him shortly after he went to the academy In it he said he felt strange at the place as it was his first experience away from home In the second letter which I got about the beginning of August he told me he would be called out to fight in about a week He complained of having had to take tobasco sauce and suffered from a sore throat in consequence He claimed it was forced down his throat and he had to swallow it or choke

"Have you got those letters?" asked General Clous

"I have not, sir I destroyed all the letters I got from him while here" replied the witness.

"In other letters which I got from him," the witness added "he complained of being hazed and said he was being treated more severely than others Later in the year he wrote to me suggesting that my father allow him to send in his resignation Oscar was not fresh and was not the kind of a boy that would be hazed

"Did he ever mention any names of the men who hazed him?" General Clous asked

"No he did not"

Continuing the witness said he objected to Oscar's leaving the academy "I saw him after he left but did not speak to him of his treatment"

Mr Booz then said he wished to vindicate his brother's character in face of published reports of what had been said by Lieutenant Coe as to his dullness and deficiency in studies He said Oscar had completed his preliminary studies in such a manner as to prove that he was not dull Statements had been made as to his brother's untruthfulness and cowardice He was neither said the witness sternly

In reply to Superintendent Mills the witness said he had two brothers and one sister dead His sister died in childbirth and his second brother died when very young He did not know of Oscar's suffering from any other disease than tuberculosis of which he died Witness said that in 1898 Oscar had told him that tobasco sauce had been forced down his throat

"Do you mean that physical force was used?" asked General Bates

"Yes sir"

"Did you see your brother within six months after leaving the academy?"

"I saw him in October and December He then complained of a sore throat He was being treated by a physician in Bristol Pa

"Why did you not or some member of your family notify the war department or the military academy when it became apparent that your brother was dying from alleged cruelty?" asked Colonel Mills

"I suppose we did not feel like doing so" replied Mr Booz "We were all very much overcome at the thought of Oscar's approaching death

"I thought your brother died a lingering death" said Colonel Mills

"I don't know that we realized that the end was so near until a fortnight before he died

This finished the examination of Booz and the court took a recess

Cadet Henry A Meyer of Arkansas was asked

"Did you ever haze Cadet Booz?"

"I may have braced him but I can't say positively" replied the witness

#### For Their Own Good

"Did you brace fourth class men for the amusement or edification of yourself or class fellows?" inquired General Clous

"No, sir I did it for their own good" said the witness "When I was a fourth class man" continued the witness "I heard an upper class man say, Turn into the next tent I went there and found Cadet Breth lying on the floor and no one else in the tent He was working his arms up and down nervously I asked him what was the matter He replied I've been exercising Then he began working his legs He seemed perfectly rational as he answered my questions I felt then that he was only pretending and came away, leaving him there The tent was dark the only light being that coming in from the company street"

In answer to General Brooke witness said he used tobacco in 1897 was punished for it and quit

The witness acknowledged that a great number of cadets used tobacco during their first two years in West Point

Meyers said that summary dismissal was the punishment for hazing fourth class men He said that some upper class men were more addicted than others to hazing lower class men among whom he mentioned Cadet McIntyre who has graduated and former Cadet Boder who was dismissed

Cadet Meyers said that the present fourth class had not been exercised at all by upper class men

#### Mr Phillips' Testimony

P O Phillips the next witness said that on August 11 he came here and remained for 10 days during which he lived at Highland Falls He came for the purpose of visiting his son who was then and is now a cadet at the academy He had read in the newspapers of the 5th instant that Mr Booz of Bristol Pa had said he came here at that time for the purpose of protecting his boy from being hazed Mr Booz was at the Highland Falls hotel where both were staying Mr Booz [illegible]

"I never heard a word from young Booz about [illegible] this treatment at the academy" said witness "and if his parents were displeased with the treatment of the cadets at the military post they did not say anything in my hearing to such effect

When asked what was his impression of young Booz the witness replied

"It seemed to me to be a nice young man but if I may say so I think there was not much good material in him out of which to make a good army officer"

Witness made a lengthy statement about the general conduct of the course of study in the academy and approval of it speaking of it in the highest terms

By Colonel Mills

"When you were here did it appear to you that the Authorities were making strong efforts to protect the new cadets?"

"Yes sir for instance sentinels were put in the company streets of the camp They were put there for the purpose of protecting the new cadets I understand

After he had finished his testimony Mr Phillips said that he is not and never was a member of congress as has been reported

#### An Authority on Pugilism

Cadet A L Lynch of New York said fourth class men were privileged to criticise upper class men at the mess hall table and could say things in the mess hall which if said at any other place about an upper class man might result in the latter's smashing the other's head before morning

"Smash his head?" said General Brooke

"I mean he would call him out and fight him" replied the witness

Cadet Lynch seemed to be quite an authority on pugilism, and explained how matches were made and fights arranged When he was a fourth class man he was selected to fight but as the man against him was about his height and weight he did not care

"Do you know of any unfair fights having taken place?"

"We thought the bout between Mr Dean of my class and Mr Mumma was unfair The latter was too tall and while Dean could not win Mumma could not make him stop and the fight was stopped in the ninth round

He did not think fighting was as bad as football There were many men knocked out on the football field and very few in fights

Cadet Edmund K Sterling of Michigan said that after the fight with Kellar, Booz was left much alone One night the witness and Cadet Larkin since dismissed for deficiency were told that Cadet Breth was lying in a tent near by. They went there and brought him to his own tent He was in a nervous condition and every muscle in his body seemed to be twitching He was rubbed with alcohol or witch hazel and he went to sleep The witness did not know whether Breth went to the hospital in consequence but he did not go that night He never heard of a straight jacket being used in the academy

The witness considered that the exercising of fourth class men was beneficial to them

After some more testimony of minor importance the court adjourned until tomorrow

### PANAMA CANAL

Paris Dec 27—The new Panama Canal company at its annual meeting adopted the report during the course of which the directors referring to the United States commission report say

"We think that a reasonable agreement wherein the United States and Colombian governments and our company should unite is realizable and might finally determine the preferences of the United States in favor of Panama The president of the company is now pursuing negotiations at Washington to that end Should it be found impossible to arrive within a reasonable period at an equitable understanding with the United States we shall seek and submit to you the means to actively carry on our work It is neither possible nor permissible to say any more on the subject today

### RUSSIAN CONSUL

#### Right of Representation at Bombay Secured After Long and Difficult Negotiations

St Petersburg Dec 27—To occupy the post of first Russian consul at Bombay the government has appointed M Klemm for many years in the foreign office service in Central Asia and latterly secretary of the Russian political agent at Bokhara

Russia secured the right of consular representation at Bombay after long and difficult negotiations the British government being slow to admit that the commercial interests of Russia justified the departure The real objection naturally was fear that the consulate would serve for political instead of commercial purposes

### REPORTED DROWNING

Des Moines Iowa Dec 27—A telephone message from Washington Iowa says that 51 school children were skating on the river near Fostoria Iowa when the ice gave way and 49 were drowned No confirmation of the story can be obtained from any other available point tonight

### BEQUEST TO A SCHOOL

Vineland N J Dec 27—A bequest of $100 000 has been placed in the hands of the directors of the New Jersey Training School for Feeble Minded Children at this place by Thomas H Vinter executor of the Maxham estate The legacy will pay off all obligations and give the institution a cash balance of about $60 000

### GUATEMALAN RAILROAD

Bordentown N J Dec 27—Rt. Rev Bishop McFaul and Vicar General Fox of Trenton together with clergymen from different parts of the state officiated at St Joseph's Convent of Mercy today when twelve young women professed and received the white veil.

## UBIQUITOUS PAT CROWE

### Suspected Kidnaper Appears In Guise of Widow in Chicago.

### REPORTED ALSO IN BOSTON

### Said to Have Taken Ship to Liverpool Meanwhile Detectives In Omaha Start Over Again.

Omaha Dec 27—All hope of capturing Pat Crowe in this vicinity has been abandoned and the police and special detectives on the case have now settled down to a systematic search for evidence from the clews now in their possession These clews are few but may lead to important discoveries They began at the beginning and are now going over the entire ground covered by the bandits Tuesday and Wednesday night of last week in the hope that they will find at least two important articles in the campaign of evidence—the gasoline stove on which the outlaws boiled their coffee in the Grover street cottage and the buggy used by them at various stages of the case

"Up to date we have followed all clews which promised a solution of the mystery" said Chief Donahue tonight "and have found that they led to nothing and—we are now ready to go over the ground again this time giving attention to the more minute details of the matter

Logically St Joseph the police think is the last city in the middle west that Pat Crowe would visit at such a time as this It is the last place the police expected him to visit and knowing this it may have furnished him with a good reason for going there So far as the police know Crowe has no relative in or near St Joseph but it is well known that he has friends there

If Pat Crowe was implicated in this job of kidnaping said a detective who is at work on the case and it was his intention to leave Omaha afterward and go to St Joseph it would have been the most natural thing in the world for him to have gone as far as Pacific Junction on horseback and then taken the train for the Missouri city"

Another development in the case is the fact that the man who rented the cottage on Grover street gave the name of J L Connor Crowe has a brother-in law named J F Connor, and those working on the matter are more inclined to believe in view of this fact that Crowe rented the house

Daniel Burris living northwest of the city limits is satisfied he sold the bay pony now at Pacific Junction to the kidnapers His description of one of the men to whom he sold the horse on December 13 for a watch and $15 is that of Pat Crowe Burris will be taken to Pacific Junction tomorrow to identify the horse

#### CROWE HAS FLOWN

Boston Dec 27—The Boston police have evidence to indicate they think that Pat Crowe and the other man who is wanted on a charge of kidnaping young Cudahy, are on the Watten liner Michigan, bound for Liverpool and a cable containing that information has been sent to the Scotland Yard detectives who will be on the Liverpool docks when the steamer arrives.

Just before the Michigan sailed from the Hoosac Tunnel dock last Saturday two men who acted so suspiciously as to attract attention and who answered the description of Crowe and the suspected kidnaper boarded the steamer with a large amount of baggage The steamer sailed in a very short time but not before word of the presence of the strangers had been sent to police headquarters

#### SEEN IN CHICAGO

Chicago Dec 27—Disguised as a woman Pat Crowe the notorious criminal, who is being sought by the police all over the United States on the charge that he was the kidnaper of Eddie Cudahy at Omaha has been seen in Chicago within the last few days and may still be hiding here according to statements made tonight by Detective Sergeant James Storen of the Chicago police who has arrested Crowe a number of times in the past.

With a view to discovering the fugitive's hiding place a search of several houses in 63rd street near Stewart avenue has been made by Storen acting on information that Crowe had been recognized on that street Christmas day In pursuing his quest the sergeant stumbled upon evidence which he says convinced him that Crowe had been in Chicago recently and that in the disguise of a woman Clothed in a black robe and heavily veiled, the suspect went abroad with impunity in the streets of Englewood the suburb where he once was a resident and is still well known to many people

Storen claims to have traced Crowe to a room where he was masquerading as a young widow in mourning but that Crowe received warning from his friends that the police were on his trail and escaped before a capture could be effected

"I found ample evidence in the room that its occupant was none other than Crowe" said Sergeant Storen tonight. "Whether he is now in Chicago I can not say In Englewood, however, he has influential friends who in all probability have found him a hiding place

#### SEARCHING IN DES MOINES

Des Moines Dec 27—This morning Detective Shaunessy of Omaha arrived in the city looking for traces of the missing Pat Crowe who occupied the residence at 1320 East Lyon street here for some time Crowe is said to have been a member of what is known as the Prince gang, The leader, Charley Prince was shot dead while trying to rob a store in Quincy Ills. a year ago and the detective believes that trace of him can be found in this city and that Mrs Prince widow of the dead robber will locate him He does not believe the story from Denver that Crowe is in jail for he was seen in Omaha only a few days before the abduction

## TELEGRAPHERS MAY STRIKE ON THE NORTHERN PACIFIC

St Paul Minn Dec 27—An evening paper says

Events of today indicate that a strike of telegraph operators on the Northern Pacific is more than possible The company is sending men west to prepare for an emergency

When questioned with regard to this movement George Hampton, the operators press committeeman, stated that the grievance committee were aware that the company was taking precautionary measures He said

"It is hard for us to understand the action of the company. We have never intimated by word or act that we would advocate a strike should our demands not be granted At the present time all we desire is reasonable concession and we will remain here until we get them If we fail to get them I can hardly say what action will be taken by the telegraphers

"There will be no strike if the telegraphers can prevent it. Our demand for a contract has been refused but we have been granted some minor concessions

### RECEIVED WHITE VEIL

#### American Capitalists Have Outwitted European Financiers

Louisville Dec 27—American capitalists have outwitted European financiers in Guatemala according to a letter just received from United States Minister W Godfrey Hunter by his son in this city

Mr Hunter writes that an American company has secured control of the Guatemalan railway known as the northern branch and extending from Porto Barrios to El Rancho a distance of 135 miles The road which was owned by the government, runs through a rich plantation section and the freight business is immense

According to Mr Hunter, financiers of England Germany, France and Austria wanted to buy the road outright, but the American company succeeded in getting control The company has agreed to extend the road from El Ranchero to Guatemala City at a cost of about four million dollars and to operate a steamship line in connection

### GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

Albany N Y Dec 27—The sessions of the Geological Society of America opened at the Albany Boys academy this morning Dr G M Dawson director of the geological survey of Canada, president of the society, delivered his address after which a number of scientific papers were read The meeting will last three days Among other well known American geologists who will address the sessions are Prof W M Davis and Prof N S Shaler, of Harvard, Prof F D Adams of McGill Prof C H Hitchcock, of Dartmouth Prof H P Cushing of Western Reserve university Prof. N H Winchell of Minneapolis, Prof H M Ami and Prof Robert Bell of Ottawa, J S Diller J E Spurr, M R Campbell and David White of the United States geological survey

### SOCIETY OF NATURALISTS.

Chicago, Dec. 27—The second annual convention of the Naturalists of the Central and Western States met today at the University of Chicago for a two days session Representatives are present from most of the universities and colleges in Illinois Michigan Wisconsin Iowa Minnesota and Indiana. This meeting will perfect the permanent organization of the society which was started last year At today's session a number of papers were read and discussed

### RUSSIAN SETTLERS STARVING.

#### Great Suffering Reported in McHenry County, North Dakota

Fargo N D Dec. 27—The suffering of the Russian settlers in McHenry county is great Ella R. Erickson the acting distributing officer of the Red Cross society, says

"We have 33 families depending on us Quite a number are actually starving They can get no credit till their crops next spring show a fair prospect of a yield Some of them are very grateful for help—Most of them are in snug sod houses and are enabled to keep warm with a little fuel, but they need provisions badly"

The settlers are recent arrivals from Russia and had no crops this year because they arrived too late to break and seed the land they have homesteaded Nearly all the farm families have a large number of children

### FIRE IN LONDON.

London, Dec 27—One of the most serious fires which have occurred in the East End of London during the last ten years broke out today at the West India docks Five immense sheds filled with goods including a thousand bales of hemp and quantities of jute, were consumed The shipping in the neighborhood and other warehouses were only saved by the great exertions of the firemen

### STEAMER ASHORE

New Orleans Dec. 27—The Morgan steamer El Rio Captain Mason from New York reports having sighted a steamer with two masts and a yellow smokestack ashore near Beacon M. Florida coast She also saw a steamer with white smokestack and black top ashore on Elbow Reef, Florida.

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## NEWS TOPICS FROM DENVER

### An Exceptionally Brilliant Reception At Denver Club

### ABOLISH COURT OF APPEALS

Colorado Bar Association Has Agreed Upon a Bill Which Will Be Presented This Winter

Denver Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Denver Dec —The Denver club held their annual reception tonight in their club building at 17th and Glenarm street The affair was strictly private reporters not being allowed to attend During the past three days a corps of men have been busy decorating and preparing the rooms for this annual ball

The decorations consisted principally of the holiday greens but mingled with the American colors The Yale glee club was in the city and as members were invited guests of the club at the reception tonight In the artistic designs prepared for the wedding the Yale colors were not forgotten Potted plants banked in the central rotunda gave them the appearance of a garden, while the walls and ceilings were elaborately festooned with long holly, smilax and mistletoe Many colored electric bulbs threw a soft light over the surroundings which made them appear as if they were indeed a fairy land It was learned that one of the largest crowds in the history of the club availed themselves of the opportunity of attending tonight's reception The programme as carried out is said to have surpassed the display given at the Capitol building recently and the smooth hard wood floor of the club rooms was much more inviting to those tripping the light fantastic than were the high marble tilings of the state house This annual reception is always the society event of the winter in Denver and that of tonight was more brilliant than any ever held before

**Chief Earley Injured**

Chief of Police Earley slipped on the pavement this morning and broke the small bone of his left leg just above the ankle He was walking to work from his home at Fay[illegible] when his heel slipped into a small hole with the above results The accident will keep him in bed for over a month

Commissioner Burpee of the fire and police board is out $2 He endorsed a draft for that amount of money made payable to a Mr Scott who claimed he knew Burpee's son in Georgia The draft was cashed at the Brown hotel and Scott has not been seen since

**To Abolish Court of Appeals**

At a meeting of the Colorado Bar association this evening it was unanimously agreed to submit a bill to the next legislature providing for the abolishment of the court of appeals and the increasing of the number of supreme judges to seven The text of the bill provides that the following amendment shall be added to the constitution of the state in the regular form as follows

The supreme court shall consist of seven judges who shall sit en banc or in two or more departments and departments shall have full power of court in the exercise of all powers authorized by this constitution or provided by law All department decisions must be concurred in by three judges and no case involving a construction of the constitution of this state or of the United States shall be decided except by the court en banc The bill provides that the term of office for the supreme judges shall be 14 years It also provides that the court of appeals shall cease to exist on the first day of January after the adoption of this amendment and the then judges of the court of appeals shall be judges of the supreme court The bill provides for the appointment and election of judges as their terms expire for certain number of years until 1910 After that a judge shall be elected every alternate year A sufficient amount of money can be saved [illegible] salary

[illegible] meet all the [illegible] ball

**Heavy Snow Storm**

The first real storm of the [illegible] arrived [illegible] last night at [illegible] o'clock and [illegible] continued [illegible] ever since Between six and seven inches have fallen and the fact that a large portion of it has melted causes the streets to be in a very sloppy condition [illegible] delays to the street cars was caused in the early morning but [illegible] running on time [illegible]

[illegible] half a dog man for the D & R G [illegible] this morning [illegible] He was removed to St Luke's hospital

**Militia Resignations**

[illegible] commission [illegible] First Regiment National Guard [illegible] their resignations [illegible] Major [illegible] Adjutant Geo [illegible] Captain [illegible] Chas [illegible] through first lieutenant [illegible] second lieutenant

[illegible] appointed by the last legislature to audit the books of the state [illegible] auditor began their work [illegible] The task will not be completed until late in February

It was Taylor who on [illegible] shot his [illegible] wife five times attempted suicide by hanging himself this morning in the county jail His cellmate discovered him in time to cut him down

**Horticultural Society**

A good sized convention of the horticultural and agricultural men of the state is in progress in the chamber of commerce Nearly every section of the state is represented The object of the convention is to either revive the old state horticultural society or to form a new society altogether Many [illegible] made to have all tending [illegible] the interests of the state [illegible] of this kind [illegible] formed

Delegates to the Sportsmen's convention [illegible] in Denver tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock have been arriving all day [illegible] tomorrow [illegible] are expected The convention is for the purpose of drafting bills and creating a sentiment that will mean a material change in the game laws of the state

**Teachers Association**

Today's session of the Colorado Teachers association was given over to the reading and discussion of educational papers The following papers were read by the named authors — English in the Colleges Prof Allen of the State university English in the High schools W M Shaffer of [illegible] English in the Grades F W Palmer of Cripple Creek Medical Inspection of Schools H W Ziekl of [illegible] Dr H D Pershing also read a paper on the last named subject [illegible] The [illegible] Education was ably presented by Miss [illegible] Lakes During the afternoon different meetings were held by various committees Tonight in the assembly room of the East Denver High school James Hughes inspector of schools of Toronto lectured on [illegible] Dickens as an Educator An admission fee of [illegible] cents was charged for all who were not members

Mrs Susan F Knox wife of John W Knox a [illegible] real estate man of this city died at her home 200 Champa street [illegible] She was [illegible] years old and has [illegible] in Denver since 1859 The funeral will be held tomorrow [illegible]

**Secretary Mills Clerk**

David A Mills [illegible] secretary of state has announced that he will appoint [illegible] of this city as chief clerk [illegible] secretary of state [illegible] is a Populist and will receive $1,800 per annum while in office

James A Tillington a local [illegible] manufacturer dropped dead [illegible] Washington avenue last evening Heart trouble caused his death

A scheme is on foot to explore the Black canon of the Gunnison river The scheme is being fostered by John [illegible] of Montrose His idea is to [illegible] through the canon [illegible] Numerous attempts [illegible] explore the canon [illegible] have failed

**Dome Adorners**

The portraits of Colorado great men that are to deck the dome of the capitol building have been put in place [illegible] the following [illegible] Jacobs John Evans [illegible] William Gilpin [illegible] W J Palmer John L [illegible] Hughes [illegible] Baker Benj H Eaton Alva Adams Casimiro Barela Kit Carson The pictures greatly improve the appearance of the building

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## NEWS ITEMS FROM VICTOR

### Taxpayers Will Vote on Question of the Bond Issue

### THE ELK'S BANQUET AND BALL

Committee on Arrangements for the New Year Eve Event Have Plans Well in Hand

Victor Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Victor Dec [illegible] — The taxpayers of the city will tomorrow vote on the question of the proposed bond issue The proposition is to fund the present indebtedness of the city now represented by outstanding warrants [illegible] amount of $[illegible] and also to issue bonds [illegible] for the purpose of purchasing [illegible] construction and extension of a suitable waterworks system for the supply of water to the city of Victor

Mr and Mrs Harry [illegible] have returned to Victor after an extended trip [illegible] They spent several weeks visiting the Paris exposition travel extensively in other parts of the continent [illegible] Returning to America [illegible] there was an opportunity to add to the pleasure of the trip [illegible]

Mr W [illegible] improved [illegible] The citizens are glad [illegible] as he has given him [illegible] working for the advancement of the city

Local [illegible] B P O E has completed all arrangements for the banquet and ball to be given on New Year [illegible] William Gamble [illegible] Mannix [illegible] Frank [illegible] and Chas McNulty have made excellent committee arrangements and the event promises to be one of the social affairs of the winter Elks from Colorado Springs [illegible] have signified their intention of being present The ball will be held in Armory hall and the banquet at the Baltimore hotel

William R Rickard [illegible] resident of [illegible] Third street last night [illegible] The remains were shipped to [illegible] for burial

The G I L C [illegible] will give an exclusive mask ball New Year's eve at the [illegible]

The [illegible] of the Eastern Star gave a well attended ball tonight at Armory hall The affair [illegible] and [illegible] proved a very enjoyable [illegible]

A meeting was held this evening in the Woodbine block for the purpose of organizing a lodge of the [illegible] in this city W H Chatfield state organizer of the order was present and was very successful in his efforts [illegible]

## STAGE ACCIDENT

**Passengers From Red Mountain to Ouray Were Upset Near the Latter Point**

Special to The Gazette

Ouray Dec [illegible] — The stage from Red Mountain [illegible] was upset on the mountain side just outside the city limits this afternoon owing to the team becoming frightened [illegible] rolled by some boys Mrs R [illegible] was severely bruised [illegible] several gashes in his head and the other passengers were painfully shaken up [illegible] wheel of the stage was broken and the vehicle otherwise damaged [illegible] brought the passengers to the city

**IOWA TEACHERS**

Des Moines Ia Dec [illegible] — The leading topic before the second day's session of the Iowa State Teachers association which is assembled here was the paper read by Supt [illegible] on Questions for the Schools [illegible] Supt S H Sheakley of Des Moines [illegible] Twentieth Century while Prof W W Speer of Chicago [illegible] Arithmetic How to Teach It The report of the legislative committee on [illegible] number of minor recommendations with regard to the change of the school law of the state This afternoon will be devoted to the round table discussions and this evening the general session will [illegible] reports from the nominating committee and determine location for next year's meeting



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**GOLDFIELD**

Special to The Gazette

Goldfield Dec 27 — The heavy fall of snow made it necessary for the F & C C [illegible] a double header to pull [illegible] trains from [illegible] city today An engine from the Victor yards helped the regular engine up the steep grades

Chas D Jones a mining operator and [illegible] Gunnison county is in the [illegible] He locate here for the winter [illegible] undecided as to whether he will engage in the practice of law or in mining

Mrs A J Hayes wife of Dr Hayes and Mrs C H Clark left today for a visit to friends in Missouri

[illegible] of the Golden Circle returned yesterday from a holiday visit [illegible] Illinois

Miss Lydia Miller of Canon City is spending the holidays with Miss Florence Carwen of Portland avenue

Chris Miller left on Monday to spend the holidays with his family at Canon City

Mrs J V Cantrell has sold her business interests here and expects to leave in a few days for Oklahoma

W J Doyle is in the city after a short visit to Denver

Mayor [illegible] Putters is spending the holidays with his family in Denver

Chas [illegible] is spending the holidays with his family at Canon City

M A T [illegible] and Miss Lizzie [illegible] young people of this city were united in marriage this evening in the presence of a large number of their friends and relatives

Mrs [illegible] McCummings left this [illegible] to spend the winter with her parents at Dayton Ohio

The members of the Goldfield fire department will hold a meeting Tuesday January 1 at the fire station

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are dainty little pills, but they never fail to cleanse the liver remove obstructions and invigorate the system Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co and C E Smith 112 Tejon St

## THE NEWS OF CRIPPLE CREEK

### The Raymond Rooming House Destroyed by Fire.

### THE NEWS OF THE COURTS

Sheriff Stewart Restrained from Disposing of the Golden Rod Lode Gleason Held for Robbery

Cripple Creek Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Cripple Creek Dec 27 — A fire that started shortly before 4 o'clock this morning totally destroyed the Raymond rooming house on South Third street and caused some damage to the Blum building adjoining The department made a quick run but was greatly handicapped by frozen plugs Hose was attached to four plugs but two were found to be frozen and in consequence there was considerable delay before water was thrown on the blaze Over 2,000 feet of hose was laid before the department got any action The Raymond house was a two-story frame building and burned very rapidly The firemen saw that it could not be saved so gave their attention to saving adjoining property After a hard fight the flames were gotten under control The loss caused by the fire in both buildings will not exceed $400 with full insurance in both cases The rooming house was owned by Mrs Berry and the Blum building by S Blum The fire is thought to have been started by hot coals in the ashes dumped between the Raymond building and the Blum building

The smouldering ruins of the rooming house were fanned into a blaze by the wind at 2 o'clock this afternoon and the department was again compelled to put out the flames

**Another Little Blaze**

A fire in the office of Dr Milton in the building at Second street and Bennett avenue called the department out at 5:30 o'clock this evening The flames were put out with but little damage resulting

The members of the home federation department of the Women's club who through their work made it possible for the children of the Home League home and the few destitute homes of the city to enjoy Christmas cheer do not take all the credit for this noble work In a letter they thanked the merchants of the city and the miners at the Portland mine for their substantial offerings that aided materially in their charitable work.

**Snowfall.**

The Cripple Creek district has taken on its winter mantle Snow commenced falling this morning and by noon the ground was covered by about a half inch. This afternoon a heavier fall set in and tonight there is a covering from 2 to 3 inches all over the camp The fall appeared to be much heavier in the vicinity of Victor and Goldfield than in this city The thermometer registers about 10 degrees above zero

**Court News**

The Victor Jewelry Co commenced suit in the county court today against John Klein to recover $90 and interest at 8 per cent since July [illegible] 1900 The plaintiff company alleges that Klein on that date bought from it a watch [illegible] and a ring valued at $150 On July [illegible] paid $50 and on October 19 he paid $10 leaving the amount sued for due

Robert McCoy commenced an attachment suit in the county court today against W J Marifield for $310 08 for labor and material furnished

Suit was brought in the district court this morning by John C [illegible] and George [illegible] acting for themselves and all other creditors of the estate of Joel H Martin deceased against J Martin and Sheriff James Stewart The object of the suit is to prevent an execution being made against the property of the estate on account of a claim made by the defendant Martin The property in question is the Golden Rod lode Judge Stimson issued a temporary injunction restraining Sheriff Stewart from disposing of the property

The Morrell Hardware company of Victor filed notice in the county clerk's office today to the effect that it claims a lien upon the right of way of the C & C C D R R Co The hardware company alleges that it furnished W T Mitchell a sub contractor on the right of way $117 13 worth of caps fuse and powder which he used in blasting for the roadway and which he failed to pay for

**Local Brevities**

A marriage license was issued today to Wm [illegible] Decker aged [illegible] and Pansy M Patterson aged 2[illegible] both of Cripple Creek

Peter Gleason [illegible] charges of robbery and grand larceny was today bound over to the district court in the sum of $[illegible] by Justice McCullah Gleason is charged with robbing the cigar store of Dennis & Chiron of goods valued at $[illegible]

John E Logan who left the camp for his home in Philadelphia last August has returned to the city and has received a royal welcome by his many friends

Philip [illegible] F Minot Louis Hickstaff Charles D Hast [illegible] Gillen J Wallace [illegible] Wagner and J [illegible] McAneny of Denver F B Meredith and F N [illegible] of Colorado Springs P M [illegible] and [illegible] Kuhn and wife of Chicago and A R Gumner of Florence arrived in the city today and registered at the National hotel

**BALTIMORE BANKS**

Baltimore Dec [illegible] — The effect of the embarrassment of the Old Town bank for which a receiver was appointed yesterday was felt in all the savings banks of the city Throngs of depositors were lined up before the doors The demands in all cases were promptly complied with By noon the crowds [illegible] had dwindled—the banks in the early morning hours had been accommodated and left and thereafter the banks took on apparently their every day business appearance

President Conkling of the Savings Bank of Baltimore said tonight that [illegible] payments had been made during the day 330 accounts closed and the bank had paid out $141,521 Deposits amounted to about $23,000

One hundred and thirty accounts amounting to $41,8[illegible] were closed at the City Savings bank

At the Hopkins which remained open for business until nearly nightfall $50,000 in round numbers were paid to depositors In no case were doors closed until the crowd had been accommodated

**HANK HAFF AS SKIPPER**

Boston Dec [illegible] — Captain Hank Haff has been selected as sailing master of the Boston boat to be built to defend the America's cup He has had great experience in cup races He sailed the Volunteer and Defender in 1887 and 1895 respectively

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## NEWS NOTES FROM PUEBLO

### Fire Destroyed Small Stable On Carlisle Place.

### CAUSED BY BOYS' BONFIRE

New Gates at the Grand Avenue Crossing of the Santa Fe Will Soon Be in Operation

Pueblo Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Pueblo December [illegible] — Fire destroyed a small stable this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the rear of Chris Forman's residence corner of Carlile place It is supposed to have originated from a bonfire lighted by some small boys The fire department responded but were unable to arrive at the fire in time to extinguish the flames The loss will be about $25

New gates at the Grand avenue crossing on the Santa Fe road are being put in and will be completed in a short time There will be nine in all and they will be operated from a watch tower erected for that purpose

Lee Whistler was arrested this morning on the charge of stealing a grip from John Roler's He is also supposed to be implicated in the theft of a watch which was stolen Christmas night

Pueblo is experiencing the first really cold weather of the season Last night a slight drizzle of sleet and snow fell and today was cold and cloudy Snow is reported through the [illegible]

**JEWISH HISTORY**

**Ninth Annual Meeting of the American Society**

Philadelphia Dec 2[illegible] — The ninth annual meeting of the American Jewish Historical society was held here last night Many interesting papers were read among them the following

Anotonio Montinoz's Theory that the American Indians Are the Lost Ten Tribes of Israel by Max J Koehler of New York

The Early Jewish Settlement of Lancaster Pa by Henry Necarsulmer of New York

The History of the First Russian American Congregation by J D Eisenstein New York

A Sketch of the Jews of Georgia Prior to 1800 and a Prominent Jewish Soldier of the War of 1812 by Leon Huhner New York

The Martyrdom of the Family of Don Luis de Carabajal in Mexico at the End of the Sixteenth Century by Rev George A Kohut New York

These officers were elected President Dr Cyrus Adler of New York vice presidents Hon Simon W Rosendale of New York Mendes Cohen of Baltimore Rev Dr B Felsenthal corresponding secretary Dr Herbert Friedenwald recording secretary Max J Kohler treasurer Prof Richard Gottheil

**A LONG LIVED FARMER**

Montrose Pa Dec 2[illegible] — Michael Maloney a farmer of Lenox township is dead at his home at the age of 107 years Mr Maloney was a native of Ireland

**ONE FARE FOR ROUND TRIP**
Via Colorado & Southern Ry to points in Colorado and New Mexico on that line Dec 24 25 31, Jan 1 return until Jan 2 City Ticket Office, 16 N Tejon street

**NEW RAILROAD COMPANY**

St Louis Dec 2[illegible] — The directors of the California Improvement company [illegible] George F Leighton S A Bemis S W Fordyce Chas Clark and R C Kerens at a meeting held here adopted a resolution authorizing the winding up of the affairs of the company and the transfer of the property of the Los Angeles Terminal Railroad company all of the lands and belongings to the San Pedro Los Angeles and Salt Lake railroad company This action will be ratified at a meeting of the stockholders to be held in East St Louis in accordance with the laws governing Illinois corporations on Monday January 14

The San Pedro Los Angeles and Salt Lake articles of incorporation estimate the length of this proposed road at 1,100 miles and the cost of equipping and building it at $25,000,000 The company's headquarters are to be at Salt Lake City The capital stock authorized is $25,000,000 par value of shares $100

**SALOON SMASHER JAILED.**

Wichita Kas Dec [illegible] — Mrs Carrie Nation a chronic saloon smasher who with scraps of iron rocks and billiard balls wrecked the Carey hotel bar including a $300 picture of "Cleopatra at the Bath" today sent two demands to the sickbed of Governor Stanley for him as governor of the state to come to the city jail and take charge of her defense On Stanley's refusal she telegraphed for Jerry Simpson, her old neighbor at Medicine Lodge

With a hatchet Mrs Nation recently smashed all the bar fixtures at Kiowa and Medicine Lodge She arrived here last night

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The California Tours once a week, via Colorado Midland Railway leaving Denver 8 30 a m each Wednesday, are under the personal supervision of an experienced excursion manager who accompanies each party through to Los Angeles in the splendid Pullman tourist sleepers which are used for these tours Special attention is given to ladies and children traveling alone Places of interest enroute pointed out descriptive pamphlets furnished, every thing done for the comfort and enjoyment of passengers The best of Colorado scenery is passed by daylight The cost of double lower berth in tourist sleeper through from Denver to Los Angeles or San Francisco is but $1 50

Ask agents of Colorado Midland or call way for ticket rates and reservations or address the general passenger agent at Denver

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**STARTED NOME BEACH RUSH**

**At Death's Door a Man Makes a Lucky Strike**

When the news of the [illegible] discovery reached Nome that district was in the throes of the [illegible] excitement The man who started this rush is now a firm believer in the idea it is always darkest before dawn His life had been spent in a vain quest for riches He had mined in Colorado Arizona Nevada and Utah Two years before when old age had come upon him he had started for the Klondike He had pursued him On all sides were men with claims from which they were taking wealth but wherever his pick and shovel touched the ground appeared to be worthless He left down the Yukon Hearing that the streams about Nome were rich he struck out for this [illegible] In the summer of 1899 only to find that every promising claim along the creeks had been taken Some of them two or three times over His money was gone and so were his provisions Age and hardship had worn him down so much that when the scurvy seized him nothing seemed to be left for him to do but to await helplessly the relief of death His tent was pitched on the seashore and there he lay watching the excited crowds arriving in boatloads from Seattle He spent the long days idly washing the sand within reach of his pan The occupation in which he had used the many fruitless years of his life was become the solace of his dying hours Suddenly a strange gleam caught his eye He began to wash the sand excitedly how and with [illegible] crowded care

A group of treasure seekers on their way to a creek [illegible] him bent over the pan

"Lookin for gold ain't ye?" they cried guyingly

"Yes," retorted the sick man "and what's more I've found it"

In a day the multitude of gold seekers was rushing to the beach The sick man's luck brought back his health and if he had not been tied down by custom to the [illegible] life [illegible] his wealth would have been scattered for his closing days affluence and comfort —Eugene B Palmer in Ainslee's

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# QUASI-PUBLIC CORPORATIONS

### The Question of Taxation Ably Discussed.

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**Convention in Session at Detroit—Papers by Dr Howe and Frederick N Judson**

Detroit Dec 2 — The Taxation of Quasi Public Corporations was the subject discussed at the initial session of the thirteenth annual meeting of the American Economic association in the convention hall of the Hotel Cadillac here today

There was no preliminary business but as soon as the hour for the first session to begin arrived Prof [illegible] president of the society announced Dr Frederick C Howe of Cleveland as the first essayist and he responded with a very interesting paper. Dr Howe spoke as follows

The present confusion in state and local taxation is largely traceable to legal and constitutional reasons. It arises from the restrictions of the courts and the federal Constitution upon the powers of the state to tax transportation companies and those engaged in interstate traffic. Many of the evils of the personal property tax are traceable to the same conflict of jurisdiction. In no branch of the science of finance is there so much confusion and lack of uniformity as in the taxation of corporations of a quasi public character such as railroads telegraphs telephones express gas, water electric lighting and street railway companies. The laws of our states show no fundamental plan or principle. In some states we find such property taxed under a general property tax. In others under a gross receipts tax and in others in any of these cases. Taxes on receipts from interstate traffic are objectionable owing to the fact that it is a regulation of interstate commerce and hence invalid. The courts have however permitted the taxation of gross receipts both local and interstate when it assumed the form of a franchise tax or tax levied upon the privileges of doing business within a state

In recent years the tendency has been back of the taxation of property and away from the taxation of earnings. But instead of taxing railroad property by an inventory of its road bed right of way, rolling stock etc. under state laws the valuation has been made up from the stock and bonds of the company. In some instances this has been called a property tax in others franchise tax and in the case of the Ford franchise tax law recently passed in New York. This is the method approved by the Pennsylvania Tax conference in its celebrated report of 1897. It is the method employed in Connecticut and with some modifications has been adopted in Massachusetts, New Jersey Ohio Indiana and Illinois. One of the chief advantages of this tax lies in the fact that it has been approved by the United States courts. Moreover it treats the corporations as an entirety a unit or a going concern and values it as such. Further than this it adopts the valuation of the commercial world as evidence of the price for which stocks and bonds have sold and values the corporation by adding to the market value of the stock of the company the par value of the bonds. In some states this method is employed as to all corporations. Under the Ford franchise tax law which taxes the properties upon their franchises as well as their physical property the assessments of street railways gas, water electric lighting and similar companies in the year 1900 were increased $170,000,000 over any previous valuation upon the physical value only

Dr Howe was listened to with close attention

Frederick N Judson of St Louis read the second paper on the subject. He spoke in part as follows

Quasi public corporations are assumed in this connection to be those which though private in ownership are affected with a public use as railroads or enjoy a municipal franchise in the use of the streets or public places

This as all other questions in taxation is now becoming more practical than academic and in the general public discontent with the failure and the chaotic condition of our existing system of taxation, there is danger of hasty and ill considered legislation. The supreme court of the United States in a recent series of decisions relative to the taxation by states of interstate railroad systems has illustrated the developing power of our jurisprudence reconciling the taxing power of a state with federal regulation of interstate commerce. Thus has been established first the rule of [illegible] that is the value of a railroad in a state for taxation means the part within the state of the value of the entire road which is more than the aggregate value of its separate parts second as a means of determining this state value the mileage apportionment rule has been approved that is that the proportion of mileage in the state to the entire mileage may be considered in determining that state value and third that cars such as sleeping cars and refrigerator cars operated in several states may be taxed in one state by fixing the average number of cars habitually used in the state. The first two of the principles have been applied not only to railroad companies but to telegraph companies upon the basis of the same mileage apportionment of the poles and wires in a state to the total mileage and also to express companies upon the basis of a comparison of the rail and water ways operated in the state as compared with the total mileage of rail and water ways. The supreme court has based these principles upon the theory that fairly carried out by the different states they will tax a corporation upon the full value of its tangible and intangible property and no more

Thus the state may ascertain through the mileage rule or any other means the value in the state of the entire system or tax its share of the entire gross or net earnings by the application of this mileage rule of apportionment to the total earnings

In Missouri and many other states railroad property as other corporate and individual property is assumed to be assessed at its cash value that is at what the assessors say is the cash value. In other states as now in Michigan the tax is levied upon the gross earnings although recently the constitution of that state has been amended so as to authorize a tax upon value as other property is taxed. The tax upon gross earnings while easily ascertained is open to the common objection that it discriminates against companies who have heavy operating expenses with a small margin of profit and to the practical objection that it is difficult to adjust the rate of taxation upon the earnings so as to produce equality of taxation as compared with a property tax upon other property. So it is difficult to avoid a seeming inequality

Where the tax is upon value there is an obvious difficulty in fixing the standard of value. The supreme court of the United States has sustained a rule of valuation of adding the value of the funded debt to the cash value of the shares saying that this fixes the value by the action of those who can best estimate it. The difficulty in applying this standard however is in the fluctuating market value of the securities. In Missouri and most of the other states enforcing the tax upon value there is no fixed standard but the assessment is left to the judgment of the assessors and their finding as a rule is not reviewable by the courts. Assessment of the roadbed by county has been found impracticable and the system has been very generally established of assessing the entire roadbed in a state by a state board who apportion the same to the different counties and cities along the line. This apportionment while judicially sustained is open to the objection that it discriminates against cities where valuable [illegible] and that value is distributed over the state

This assessment by state boards secures uniformity of valuation as between the counties along the line of the road but a very serious difficulty is in securing uniformity with other classes of property. It is notorious that property is not assessed at its cash value and in some states this practice has been recognized by statute. In Missouri a careful investigation disclosed that railroads were assessed at about 37 per cent of the full market value of the securities on their mileage in that state while the average assessment of farm property was considerably less, about 33 per cent and the assessment of city property in St. Louis was from 50 to 70 per cent. The difficulty which the courts find in dealing with the recognized practice of assessing property at less than its cash value is illustrated in a recent case in the United States circuit court from Tennessee where it is held that the habitual assessment of railroad property at a higher valuation than other property justified equitable relief although the statute required all property to be assessed at its full value

"The law should provide a judicial remedy for inequalities in assessments the sources of state and municipal revenue should be separated and the entire revenue from the assessment of the roadbed and rolling stock of railroads should be given to the state

A definite standard should be established of value by capitalizing the net revenues under the mileage rule or the tax should be levied upon the net earnings. Thus the company would pay according to its revenue from the income available for dividends or surplus and the public would share [illegible] so realized

The taxation of companies holding municipal franchises may be complicated by the exaction of conditions by municipalities in the form of charges upon earnings which are taxes in effect. The New York franchise tax law recognized this in allowing deductions from the franchise tax in such cases. These principles of taxation look to the taxation of all property tangible and intangible of these corporations but justice is violated by its being taxed more than once, just as by its escaping taxation. The value is taxed irrespective of the residence of the stock and bondholders whose securities represent that value. Justice in taxation can only be secured by exempting the citizen upon property which pays taxes in any other state or country. Practically such holdings escape taxation except in the hands of trustees or in estates in probate and the result is a scandalous inequality in taxation which is as repugnant to common honesty as it is to economic taxation

Following the reading of the papers there was a lively discussion of the subject matter participated in by Prof E R Seligman of Columbia university James B Dill New York Arthur J Eddy Chicago Prof William R Ripley of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and others

**President Ely's Address**

President Richard T Ely delivered an address on "Competition Its Nature, its Permanency and its Beneficence." He said in part

"Quotations for and against competition could be multiplied indefinitely. We find it asserted on the one hand that competition is sinful warfare, that it is division disunion, every man for himself every man against his brother,' on the other hand that it is mutual service, that it is altruism of a superior quality that it is the essence of the golden rule. Such contradictory views suggest that the disputants are talking about different things and that what is needed first of all is definition. Competition in a large sense means a struggle of conflicting interest for wealth. But is all struggle for wealth competition? If I knock you down and rob you, is that competition? If I fit out an armed ship and prey upon the commerce of the world, is that competition? If I cheat you is that competition?

"Not every struggle in conflicting interests is to be denominated competition. The competitive struggle is limited by law and its boundaries are further fixed by the social order within the framework of which we live

But even with these limitations [illegible] sufficient idea of economic competition. We must bring [illegible] the great principle of evolution which is present wherever there is life. Biologists first brought out the hard and cruel side of the struggle for existence among the lower animals. The creatures said Huxley are fairly well treated and set to fight whereby the strongest the swiftest the cunningest live to fight another day. The spectator has no need to turn his thumb down as no quarter is given. But it was not long before his errors called attention to the [illegible] the struggle is not for life merely but also for the life of others offspring, inmates and companions. Association and mutual aid among animals were seen to play a large part in the struggle for existence and cooperation to be a powerful weapon even in sub human competition

Passing to the being in organic evolution where we have the emergence of man we find that among primitive men competition seems more cruel than among animals. But social evolution carries it to higher and ever higher planes. Primitive competition includes a narrow circle of associations and beyond that slaughter for economic advantage. With social evolution straight gradually falls below competition into the region of crime. When man considered it dishonorable to gain by the sweat of the brow what could be won by the sword battle belonged to economic competition. The competitive social order [illegible] within its frame work a place for slavery. Slavery now falls below the plane of competition and is regarded as incompatible with civilization

Since the beginning of this century the plane of competition has been steadily raised. The labor of very young children has been outlawed the labor even of grown men has in many cases been restricted and many unwholesome conditions and oppressive practices have been put by the plan of competition

We have already mentioned the fact of association among animals for mutual aid. Social evolution among men reveals along with competition the growing enlargement of the associated competitive group. We find voluntary loosely formed groups of employers pursuing common purposes groups of workingmen likewise seeking to promote common interests political associations embracing within themselves an infinite variety of competitive groups. These political associations all have competitive features but competition nowhere stands alone. With it are associated sympathy, benevolence and public authority. The larger the competitive group the wider the sphere of generosity the larger the safe scope of [illegible] and the milder may the competition become for the individual. International competition is a stern factor of our time. It is not equally a fact that the most potent nations in this world while struggle are precisely those in which we find the highest individual and social development of altruism

Through the selective process of competition we have the survival of the fit. But fitness has reference simply to conditions of a particular time and place. Aggressive pirates were at one time fit for survival, now they are likely to come to an ignominious end. Society itself establishes many of the conditions of the struggle for existence and it is for society to create such economic conditions that only desirable social qualities shall constitute eminent fitness for survival

Let me offer an illustration. Today the civil service furnishes many an opportunity for a livelihood. Competition for admission is found when we have the so called spoils system and the competition is intense and frequently bitter. It issues in the survival of men with qualities known to us all. Civil service reform does not remove competition, it extends competition but with a difference in methods which issues in the survival of men with qualities of another sort. In all such social changes we have not the suppression of competition but rather a regulation or competition by the mind of man

"Competition is a permanent feature of human society. It begins with the lowest order of animals and continues its action among the highest orders of men. But it continually mounts to higher and higher elevations and means rivalry for ever better and better things. We leave behind contests for bare subsistence to engage in contests for noble prizes of the mind and for opportunities for social service. We can now see one of the tests to which we must submit proposed measures of social amelioration. A good social measure must strengthen the individual and the group for such competition. A bad condition weakens individuals and groups in the competitive struggle

Combination of labor and combinations of capital may expand freely, so long as these combinations mean merely association and cooperation. But when combinations mean monopoly either competition must be restored or, where this is impossible the ends of competition must be secured by other methods of social control. In some cases mean public ownership and management, of industries a place must be opened for the competition principle in the terms of admission to public employment

There is a radical difference between the socialistic extension of governmental activity which has in view the suppression of competition and that conservative demand for an extension of governmental activity which has in view the maintenance of competition

There are two somewhat antagonistic lines of desirable social evolution. One approaches—without hope of ever reaching—real equality of opportunities in economic competition. The other is found in the construction of great institutions which shut in and limit competition but which nevertheless are the very foundations upon which our civilization rests, the depositories of race achievements. I have in mind the great economic juridicial institutions of private property inheritance and vested interests. The progressive approximation to equality in opportunities must not be permitted to go so far as to undermine these institutions. In the mutual adjustments of these two lines of evolution we have given us one of the weightiest and most delicate tasks of the twentieth century

Competitions thus conceived is beneficial. The competitive order rightly controlled by society furnishes to men the maximum of pleasure with a minimum of pain. Not only does it insure progress for the race but to an increasing extent all men participate in the benefits of this progress. It means rivalry in the service of self and other selves—rivalry in the upbuilding of the ideal man in the ideal society. Competition gives us a brave strong race of men and the brave and strong are merciful

## SOUTHERN EDUCATORS

Richmond Va Dec 27—The delegates to the Southern Educational association which held its annual session here today were slow in assembling. When the association was called to order there was about 500 delegates present, every part of the South being represented. After prayer by Rev Cary Morgan addresses of welcome were delivered by Governor Tyler Mayor Taylor, State Superintendent of Instruction Southall and City Superintendent Fox and several responses were made

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## BETTER THEATRICALS NEEDED

COLORADO SPRINGS is a thoroughly metropolitan city. There are many places of three times the size in the effete east which cannot compare with it in most things which go to make up a progressive city. In one particular however we are woefully behind the times and have adopted the airs of a second rate New England village.

In all theatrical matters we are known as a one night town which means that all the barnstorming crews of ex hack drivers and discharged table waiters who have taken to the stage to escape either the penitentiary or the poorhouse swoop down upon us under glaring and fantastic titles and take in our shekels with the same sardonic smile which so characterizes them in their regular business of worrying the helpless public for tips or holding up unsophisticated travellers for double hack fares.

It may be possible that we cannot get better shows than the majority of the cheap and inane things which find their way into our temple of amusement, but if not it would be better to close the house entirely and invest the money in outdoor athletic sports for they at least would be wholesome and every person would know just what to expect when he attended. The reason given for the poor quality of so many of the entertainments at the Opera house is that they are the best obtainable and that we get what comes to Denver. Undoubtedly we get all of the worst that come to Denver but we miss most of the best and good plays in Denver are few and far between.

There should be a remedy for this condition of affairs somewhere near at hand and an effort should be made to find and apply it. From the packed houses which invariably greet first class performances in this city we can scarcely think the fault lies with the public. There is no more liberal public any place when the article offered has any real value or merit.

We are of the opinion that the basic trouble is on account of our Opera house being in a circuit which is controlled by a New York syndicate that gives just as little for the money as it possibly can. Perhaps that also is the best arrangement that can be made to insure any sort of theatricals in this city, but if so we had better invest the money spent on worthless shows in having the Midland or some other first class local band give us a concert each week.

This is a question of undoubted interest to all of our people and some way should certainly be devised of remedying an evil which cannot but offend the pride of every citizen and which is an unnecessary affliction upon the theater-going people of our metropolitan little city.

## MR. RICKARD'S REPORT.

MR T A RICKARD'S report read to the stockholders of Stratton's Independence company in London early this month in which he attempts to shirk the responsibility of his actions does justice neither to himself nor his subordinates.

In the opening paragraph Mr Rickard verifies the statement already made by us that the Independence mine has fully lived up to the reputation he gave it and which was responsible for the purchase of the property in London. Mr Rickard's early report of the values in sight in the mine gave a total of $6,700,000. Since then the English corporation has produced a total of $4,600,000, and a safe estimate upon the ore now in sight is $2,500,000 making a total of $400,000 more than the original estimate. These figures amply prove Mr. Rickard's capabilities and for this portion of his services he should be given due credit.

Immediately following this very creditable showing Mr Rickard lowers his own standard and discredits the integrity of his subordinates whom he admits bear an excellent reputation by throwing the blame of his costly blunders upon their heads. In his early report which has proved correct and which gained the public's confidence Mr Rickard does not allow his subordinates any share of praise. Later on however he reported that the values in sight had been doubled. This is found to be incorrect and Mr Rickard attempts to shirk responsibility and thrusts the blame upon the shoulders of others. "In these monthly reports I gave the statements as to the value and width of ore in the various workings verbatim without any modification as they were given to me in consultation with the staff." This may be true but it does not remove the responsibility. Those who purchased at the original quotation price by reason of his statements together with others who purchased again at higher prices because of his later statements properly hold him responsible for the blunders that had been committed.

Mr Rickard attempts to excuse himself still further by stating that his suggestions were not acted upon and that he found it impossible to modify the then existing methods. Later on in the report he attempts to extract considerable credit from the fact that he appointed a new manager, that a new building was erected on his initiative and because certain other matters were undertaken under his direction. This still further emphasizes Mr Rickard's responsibility in this regrettable matter which no amount of squirming can free him of.

Put concisely the Independence case is as follows: The English promoters of Stratton's Independence company employed their own English expert to report upon the mine for them. He made a proper and conservative report upon which the property was purchased and shares in the company were sold throughout Great Britain. Later this same engineer reports a tremendous increase in the values in sight and the price of the stock advances proportionately. These statements are found to be untrue, the stock declines in price with painful suddenness and the unfortunate stockholders are asked to be satisfied with excuse and apologies. Neither the owner of the Independence mine nor his employes made any estimates which influenced the British public in the original sale of the mine in London. It was the English buyers' own expert that gave all the original estimates of value and later on was responsible for the exaggerated statements and it is he they must blame and not the original owner of the property nor Mr Rickard's subordinates.

## HON MARTIN D. CURRIGAN

IN THE DEATH of Alderman Martin D Currigan Denver loses a devoted and honest public official.

For many years Mr Currigan was a member of the city council of Denver and at all times and under all circumstances he was the advocate of the people's interests. No doubt he was often mistaken in his judgment as to the best public measures to be adopted but his sincerity and honesty of purpose were never questioned by any person. He was a genial and kindly man, a public spirited citizen, a loyal friend, a devoted father and husband and the personification of the highest possible official integrity.

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Azure!
Even the sky (and brokers too)
Wear it
Without measure
And o'er mountain and o'er dale
Sounds the joyous
Clarion
Yale!
Rah rah rah! Yale!
On tomorrow finish a crown let
No sordid care frown it
Give the merry
Singing
Band
Its due welcome to
This land
Undoubted we will
Surrender
Our maids to
Their mercies
Tender
We will let the ladies
Dance 'em
Smile upon 'em and
Entrance 'em
We will banquet 'em and
Dine 'em
Drive 'em golf 'em (?) 'em
Wine 'em
Show 'em that the
Town is
Free
[illegible]
Arm in arm
Like comrades great
[illegible]
All the
Noise of [illegible]
And the clink of mandolin
All the flood of
Mirthful
Song
Rolling onward
Loud and strong
One [illegible]
Shall [illegible] it
"We were students at old Yale!"

### Of Course

I've just been to [illegible]
[illegible]
Not at all well. She's awfully blue
[illegible]
Yale boys are here you know, so she feels she must be blue

### At the Opera House

He—Are you fond of glee club songs?
She—Very, they bring a [illegible] men on the stage at once, you know.

## FROM THE PRESS OF THE NATION

### The Woes of The Philanthropist

(Chicago Times Herald)

If that large part of people of this country who count on (?) who would like to be rich in order that they might do good think that the practice of philanthropy on a large scale consists simply in expelling cash and benevolence and taking in the thanks and adoration of the multitude they may learn a different story from such excellent authorities as Mr Carnegie and Dr Pearsons. These gentlemen and others like them are always in a state of siege if not of fight. Sturdy men, healthy, insinuating men and women, respectable mendicants and disreputable mendicants pursue them everywhere each after his different method but each proving whether in rags or in broadcloth that a touch of beggar makes the whole world kin.

Dr Pearsons says that every time a new gift of his is announced he is immediately surrounded by a fresh swarm of the parasitical fraternity who look to others to make what they would spend. They crowd into his office and to his home so that peace departs from his life and he is continually at bay in some corner waiting for one assault after another. Hence he declares that he will never let another gift be known, but we do not think the remedy will help him much. For the anonymous donation [illegible] remind his [illegible] again and we can imagine them fortifying themselves with a new [illegible] in at in laying the siege. As for example that Dr Pearsons' modesty is equal to his generosity. It was not the reticence which they respected and if he would only fork over the cents they would not say a word about it to any living soul.

Do what he will the world is destined to be a evil one for the philanthropist—a world of woes many times multiplied, and perhaps those ninety in the hundred of our population who will [illegible] der that they may do good are better off as they are. It is a genuine advantage to have nothing but their own troubles to look after, and there is no danger the petrifying effect of wealth might cause them to forget their original objections and to expand their selfishness in their own luxuries.

### Progress in Cuba

(Hartford Post)

The work of framing a new constitution for the new republic of Cuba is proceeding with proper deliberation and also industrially rapid progress has been made in the island. The war with Spain ended August 12 1898 and the island could not make much progress toward recovering from the evil effects of the long war for freedom from Spanish dominion until the following winter. Since then however great progress has been made and a recent investigation announces that the island is operating almost by leaps and bounds.

In sugar it is thought that a gain of great magnitude has been made over the year previous. The crop is expected to reach almost 600,000 tons and its value will be at least $30,000,000. The tobacco crop will be large but the quality is not as good as usual still it is netting from $200 to $500 an acre. Fruit cultivation is spreading and the live stock business is becoming very profitable. General agriculture is flourishing. The people are as a rule less prosperous than ever.

All that is needed is a continuance of good government. If that is obtained the island of Cuba will be one of the happiest and most prosperous communities in the world. The part the United States played in bringing about this result is one in which Americans can take great satisfaction at this Christmas season.

### Commercial and Moral Expansion

(New York Press)

The executive committee of the National Civil Service Reform association found some good words to say about the extension and application of the merit system to the civil administration of our island dependencies. It would not have gone beyond the truth however had it said more about the success of President McKinley's sincere efforts to increase the efficiency of our consular service. The fact is that the consular system of the United States is attracting the admiration of other world powers notably Germany whose efforts at imperial expansion are not confined to the acquisition of territory but include the extension of German trade with lesser nations everywhere. This of course not to be avowed by for the purpose of annexation but rather as Professor Reinsch of the University of Wisconsin has so clearly pointed in his book on world powers with a view to increase of political influence as a end through commercial amity as a means.

It is important to note that what Germany is actually willing and anxious to do the United States is actually doing by legal and without making any fuss or feathers. [illegible] the German economist in his book on trade treaties says this:

"The Americans have acted judiciously in establishing a system which is of the [illegible] to themselves [illegible] to their competitors in all countries with which the United States has stationed consuls and consular agents. [illegible] shipment of goods to the United States must pass through the hands of the consul [illegible] the amount value [illegible] of origin [illegible] price ruling in the country of production method of production etc. [illegible] this consuls thus [illegible] condition of their districts and obtain information the result of which is also public in the steadily increasing exportations of their home country. Is this system worthy of our imitation?"

[illegible] goes on to argue that it is a model for imitation even by Germany [illegible] the great number of the latter's petty officials and the greater total of detailed work they involve. He thinks it will pay in spite of all its [illegible].

This argument is worth noting as proof that the expansion of American influence is not confined to [illegible] but that it is a tendency [illegible] itself in and to the world at large. The testimony of the National Civil Service Reform organization as to civil service reform in the [illegible] affected [illegible] [illegible] and the [illegible] with which it has been met [illegible] for our commercial growth [illegible] with the [illegible] size.

### Visits From One's Poor Relations

(New York Mail and Express)

If the Duke of Manchester is a [illegible] at the [illegible] his [illegible] grand [illegible] simple [illegible] which the honest [illegible] will [illegible] the high road [illegible] such a greeting is will make his tales of town life the wonder of the [illegible] corner grocery store for years to come. He will welcome him with open arms [illegible] to him the [illegible] room [illegible] shiny [illegible] of indigestion and [illegible] that his bride's elderly relative [illegible] the best seat at the [illegible] with some one at his elbow to [illegible] As the grandparent of a [illegible] American the girl of [illegible] the English nobleman ought to be [illegible] genuine gold [illegible] the real study of a primitive life and [illegible] theory that nothing is too [illegible] for the [illegible].

Manchester has to face in a somewhat exaggerated form the embarrassment which [illegible] nearly every man has to meet who from ordinary beginnings has risen to a fashionable state or who having been born well married into a family of recent and humble origin. The intrusion into an atmosphere of exclusion and into traditions of aristocratic [illegible] relatives in whose [illegible] and [illegible] pattern are the hall marks of the honest [illegible] of the soil presents a contrast which self pride [illegible] but [illegible] of [illegible] the world is prone to [illegible] It is the [illegible] of the diplomat as well as of the [illegible] to enter into the spirit of the occasion [illegible] false pride to interfere with the dictates of natural affection and [illegible] kindred blood—more [illegible] than [illegible] that marks the [illegible] Vere de Vere.

No one ever made a [illegible] playing the snobbing his [illegible] home [illegible] The world which is ready to [illegible] the [illegible] of [illegible] and [illegible] ill timed haughtiness of [illegible] a way of cheering when it sees their fortunate estate has not kept them from courage in loyalty to their kith and kin. If Manchester wants to be popular in Ohio here is the [illegible] of a lifetime.

### "Worse Than Greeley's"

(New York Press)

With the most voluble and vocal support which any candidate of his party has received since Andrew Jackson's time Mr Bryan is shown by the returns of the [illegible] to have run further behind his opponent than the nominee whom the Democracy followed in frosty silence to his political grave. The New York [illegible] of the people [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] a worse beating than Greeley's. The [illegible] of Democratic [illegible] whose nomination by declining political was repudiated in the party it was only 60,000 votes short when it came to [illegible] The most popular candidate who [illegible] and [illegible] compelled the party leaders twice to accept him shows a deficit of $61.51.

It is the old story of this Democracy of ours that [illegible] his life shall [illegible] to the filling of their highest office [illegible] popular arts [illegible] politics [illegible] even [illegible] to the election of President [illegible] certain new and [illegible] persons [illegible] will [illegible] with the [illegible] among the [illegible] objects of [illegible] somewhat [illegible] reputations for [illegible] and [illegible] higher but more solid than those of their successful opponents.

The [illegible] commentators on our political [illegible] this [illegible] of the hereditarily trained democracy. In fact it may be said to be a matter of common knowledge. Only the politicians with that terror of the [illegible] which is like the courtier's terror of the king seem unable to discover it. But Bryan's losing will pass into history as worse than Greeley's. Should help them a long way toward enlightenment.

### Guessing a Cliff's Height

Shortly after making a turn to the east and in the depths of a beautifully terraced canon writes Robert T Hill in the January Century we came upon a curious hot spring running out of the bluff upon a low level where it made a large clear pool of water. The sight of this natural bath of warm water was tempting to tired and dirty men and here we made our first and only stop for recreation. After lunch most of the party proceeded to the [illegible] and [illegible] we literally [illegible] for hours in its delightful waters, stopping occasionally to soap and scrub our linen. While here the party indulged in guessing the height of the [illegible] cliffs. The air was so clear in this country that one always underestimated the magnitude of the relief. None of our estimates exceeded 500 feet. Seeing a good place for the first time in all our course to scale the canon walls I climbed them and measured the exact height which was 1,600 feet. The view from the summit was superb revealing the panorama of the uplands which is completely shut out while traversing the chasm below.


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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Loans and Discounts | | $2,011,[illegible] |
| U S Bonds to Secure Circulation | | 100,000 00 |
| Real Estate | | 508 00 |
| Due from U S Treasurer (5 per cent fund) | | 5,000 00 |
| Due from U S Treasurer (other than 5 per cent fund) | | 1,000 00 |
| Bonds and Warrants | | 3,5[illegible]6 50 |
| Due from Banks | $916,409 06 | |
| Cash | 49[illegible] 49 | 1,416,[illegible] |
| Total | | $3,[illegible],536 51 |

LIABILITIES

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital Stock | $ 100,000 00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | [illegible] 33 |
| Circulation | 9[illegible] 00 |
| Deposits | [illegible] 44 467 18 |
| Total | $3,[illegible] |

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

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OF COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

As Made to the Comptroller of the Currency Dec 13th 1900

RESOURCES

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Loans and Discounts | | $1,[illegible] 21 81 |
| United States Bonds | | 100,000 00 |
| Due from U S Treasurer | | 5,000 00 |
| Bonds and Warrants | $ [illegible] 39 | |
| Cash and Due from Banks | 1,[illegible] | 1,[illegible] |
| | | $2,041,[illegible] |

LIABILITIES

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital Stock | $ 100,000 00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | [illegible] |
| Circulation | 100,000 00 |
| Deposits | [illegible] 612 31 |
| | $ [illegible] |

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OF COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO

As Made to the Comptroller of the Currency Dec 1[illegible] 1900

RESOURCES

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Loans and Discounts | | $ 996,[illegible] |
| United States Bonds and Premiums | | 1[illegible] 83 81 |
| Bonds and Warrants | | 5,105 01 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | | 5,3[illegible] 00 |
| Due from Banks | $1,0[illegible] 94 | |
| Due from U S Treasurer | 0 00 | |
| Cash in Vault | 2[illegible] 11 | 1,[illegible] |
| | | $2,[illegible] |

LIABILITIES

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital Stock | $ 1[illegible] 00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | [illegible] |
| Circulation | 1[illegible] 00 |
| Deposits | [illegible] |
| | $[illegible] |

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| Cascade ave 13 rooms and bath | 175 |
| Cascade ave 1[illegible] rooms and bath | 150 |
| Tejon st 10 rooms and bath | 1[illegible] |
| View Place 10 rooms and bath | 117 |
| Nevada ave 11 rooms and bath | 100 |
| Weber st 9 rooms and bath | 65 |
| Tejon st 7 rooms and bath | 60 |
| [illegible] L Yamba st 6 rooms and bath | 50 |
| Cheyenne Canon Road 7 rooms and bath | 33 |

UNFURNISHED

| | |
|---|---|
| N Nevada ave [illegible] rooms and bath | $[illegible] |
| N Cascade ave 14 rooms and bath | 100 |
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| W Bijou st 7 rooms and bath | 40 |

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When Mr Harbaugh opened his store the morning ... he found that the ... had been partially broken out and ... goods taken from the show ... Although he did not think that burglars had entered the store ... it was ... supposed a number of panes of glass ... had been broken. Mr Harbaugh informed ... of the police ... Atkinson was sent ... to the store to look into the matter. When he arrived he showed Mr Harbaugh ... prints on the inside of the ... 

... the ... shovel ... that the ... bad ... found ... articles ... it is ... that the ... had been ... Mr Harbaugh ... Just ... to be stolen ... of the finest ... the ... and ... stolen ... articles ... could not have been very ... It is thought ... of the Engines ... and that ... store and ... articles ... slight ... which they are working ... incidence ... with the burglary that ... During the night ... Mrs Harbaugh ... said that ... some one in the ... Mr Harbaugh ... but ... and when he ... next morning ... Mr Harbaugh is not in the ... finding such things it seems ... 

# William and Isabella Company Answer

The answer of Nelson I. William the Isabella Gold Mining company and others in what is known as the Orphan Bell Mining suit was filed yesterday in the district court ... the suit entitled Wm Bostic et al vs Nelson B Williams the Isabella company and others.

The answer is quite long occupying some twenty pages of typewritten ... and ... the ... allegations It is filed by Judge Robinson and other attorneys ... there is almost a general denial of the various allegations ... to ... contracts ... They also go back ... the ... Orphan Bell Mining company alleging it to be of a fraudulent character.

The answer denies that Nelson B Williams controls ... 418,852 shares of the Orphan Bell stock ... that he controls ... 35,408 shares of the Orphan Bell Mining company stock. It denies that defendant Williams said at a company meeting that he had a large interest in the Orphan Bell ... it ... throughout ... apprehension

The ... that ... Williams in any of the deals of the two companies was under the direction ... and ... companies ... both sides of the controversy. The answer ... that the land to ... be ... any preventive ... of the court

# Criminal Cases Before the Justices

The case of the People vs. George Andrews was ... yesterday. The jury ... guilty ... of not guilty ... the prisoner was ... discharged Lawyer ... attorney for the defense ... Andrews was charged with ... Christmas ... that there were no grounds for the charge ...

William Myers and Charles Stillwell the two men who are charged with the theft of certain tickets ... from the Santa Fe railroad and the Wells Fargo Express company ... their preliminary hearing ... Mr C C Hoyt the local agent of the Santa Fe was the prosecuting witness and testified as to the ... in which the theft was discovered and ... the tickets stolen. It seems that the ... also ... themselves ... which ... the Christmas packages which the express ... in its possession at the time. They were bound over for trial ... and ... the county jail.

When ... found that the robbery was committed ... Myers and Stillwell ... a woman by the name of Grace Bennett who is ... to the police. They ... found many of the ... She was then arrested on ... will have a hearing before Judge Ruby ... of next month. Her bond was fixed at $50 and she was taken to the county jail as she was unable to give bail.

James ... who is charged with ... was taken before Judge Ruby ... and his ... was fixed ... and as he was unable to furnish it he was taken to jail. His trial is set for January ...

## UNHAPPILY WED

Two more unhappily wedded couples have brought suit in the county court asking that they be relieved from the burden of each other's society. The cases were filed yesterday.

Dessa ... a divorce from ... They were married in Colorado City in 18... and she ... that he has been cruel. In the complaint numerous acts of violence are recited. He is employed ... and ... from $... to $... and ... she asks for $... and ... She also asks for the custody of their child. S. T. Hamilton filed the suit for the complainant.

Mrs B M Weyand asks for a divorce from I. W. Weyand. They were married in Hudson Wis in 189... She alleges that he has been a drunkard for more than ... past that she has been compelled to support him as well as herself and that he has been guilty of repeated acts of cruelty. J. S. Dincer filed the complaint.


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## FAREWELL CONCERT

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Mr Orchard has been in Colorado Springs but a few months having come here from London to accept the position of organist at St Stephen's church He has made many friends while here and his departure will be regretted On Tuesday, January 8 Mr Orchard will give a farewell concert at Perkins Fine Arts hall at the college. He will be assisted by the best musical talent of the city Among those who will take part in the concert will be Mrs Tucker Mrs Seldomridge Miss Garrison Mr Crampton Mr Soutter Mr Clement and Mr Goldmark

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

W. A. McWhirter is in Denver spending the holidays

Mr J. C. Delany went to Denver last evening to attend the Denver club ball

Mr H. C. Hall left last evening on the Rock Island for a trip to Omaha Neb

Senator M. B. Carpenter of Denver was an arrival at the Alamo hotel last night

Mr W. H. Leonard leaves this morning on the Santa Fe road for Las Cruces N. M.

County Commissioner Sinton is reported somewhat better He has had quite a serious time

Mr and Mrs B. K. Bowman of Trenton N. J. have arrived at the Alta Vista hotel for a stay

Miss L. P. Chestnut who has been visiting in the city some time left last evening for Ann Arbor Mich

The Misses Nathan of Denver who have the dancing academy in the Alamo hotel were here yesterday

Heman Wheeler traveling passenger agent of the Chicago and Northwestern was a visitor in the city yesterday

Mr and Mrs Ira J. Mors and son have returned from a three months trip through Kansas Iowa Illinois and Ohio

Edith A. Frost who has been the guest of the family of Charles A. Grant in Manitou left last evening on the Rock Island train for ...

Mr Homer Patterson of Chicago is in the city visiting relatives When quite a young boy he lived here and was employed by Mr Buckman at the chamber of commerce

Mr A. B. Lowe member of the executive committee of the Western Federation of Labor was in the city last evening on his way to Florence in connection with the labor troubles at that place

No doubt many Colorado Springs people will be interested in knowing that Hon Chas J. Hughes the well-known Denver mining lawyer is quite ill. Capt M. H. Insley of Denver is also sick at Leavenworth ... with pneumonia. Captain Insley was a resident here at one time and was associated with his son H. E. Insley in the management of the Keeley Institute

## BRIEF CITY ITEMS.

STATED COMMUNICATION.—There will be a stated communication of Pikes Peak lodge No 38 A. F. and A. M. tonight

SPECIAL MEETING.—A special meeting of the Jr O. U. A. M. is called at the Temple theater at 8 o'clock sharp tonight by order of the committee

YALE CONCERT. The Yale Glee club concert on Saturday evening will not begin until 8:30. This will give the people who are entertaining that evening a chance to finish their dinners in time for the concert

MUSICIANS RETURNED.—George Kleinbeck F. Haskins and Neal White returned from Denver yesterday They are members of the Pike string orchestra and have been playing in Denver for some time Two or three members of the orchestra have been ill and they have come down here to rest

RECEPTION POSTPONED. — The reception to the Young Men's cabinet which was to have been held this evening at the home of Mr Warren Woods has been postponed The announcement of the date will be made at the next Y. M. C. A. cabinet meeting one week from Sunday

NEW FIRM.—A. A. Butler and G. F. Wasson have formed a partnership and have secured offices in the second floor of the Gazette building They have secured the agency in this city of the Employers Liability Assurance company Both are well known here having been connected with the mining stock exchange

CONTAGIOUS CASES.— Dr Hanford states that he has every reason to believe that the smallpox is pretty well stamped out Yesterday six patients were sent away from the pest house There has not been a new case for a week The doctor says that since the closing of the schools the number of scarlet fever cases has been reduced and he has every reason to believe that in another week there will be no reason why the city schools should not open as usual

## FEDERAL UNION OFFICERS

The Federal Union met last evening at Union labor hall and elected officers as follows

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The agitation started by the members of Colorado Springs Lodge of Elks in the matter of refraining from purchasing and making use of elk teeth for ornaments is bearing fruit. From all over the country are coming pledges from the members The strange part is that the western lodges are the last to act It was thought that the western people had the greatest interest in the matter There is no doubt but elk were being killed for their teeth The following letters are examples of a large number that have been received by the secretary of the lodge.

Akron Ohio Dec 19 1900

Charles C. Harrison, Secretary Colorado Springs Lodge No 309 B. P. O. E. Colorado Springs Colo

—Dear Sir and Brother—The resolutions adopted by your lodge in regard to the purchase and use of elk teeth by Elks were read at the regular meeting of Akron Lodge No 363 B. P. O. E. December 18 1900 and I am glad to inform you that I was instructed to cast the unanimous vote of the lodge in favor of the resolutions Fraternally yours,

R. B. MENS ...

Secretary

Birmingham Ala Dec 1 1900

Charles C. Harrison Secretary Colorado Springs Lodge No 309 B. P. O. E. Colorado Springs Colo

My Dear Sir and Brother Your three circulars "Thou shalt not kill an Elk" have been received and were read at our last meeting.

The following appears on our minutes of December 11 1900

... circular ... read from Colorado Springs Lodge ... pertaining to the matter ... that this portion of the committee ... respectfully that ... collectively and individually, refuse to be in any way the purchasers or traffickers in elk teeth thereby helping to stop the slaughter, which has become to be so frightful for their teeth alone

It was moved and carried that this circular be placed by the secretary in the most prominent place in the hall (framed), that the same be received by this lodge and endorsed and that the secretary agitate this subject through the public press

I have received no news from our daily papers as yet but when I get them started on it they will keep her going, and I will send you a copy

Wishing you all a happy Christmas, I am, fraternally yours

John T. H. Lewis

Secretary No 79

Bellevue Ky Dec 18 1900

Charles T. Harrison Secretary Colorado Springs Lodge No 309 B. P. O. E., Colorado Springs Colo

Dear Sir and Brother—The circular sent us "Thou shalt not kill an Elk," containing resolutions adopted by your lodge calling upon all Elks to refrain from purchasing or in any way abetting the traffic in elk teeth was duly received by me and read at our regular meeting.

I am pleased to inform you that we without a dissenting voice concurred in your action and pledge ourselves to do all in our power to stop the evil

One of your circulars has been posted in the lodge room and the secretary has been instructed to read the resolutions at the successive meetings also to convey to you the thanks of our lodge for your ... in this matter

Hoping that your work will accomplish the purpose intended we remain fraternally yours

Bellevue Ky Lodge No 79 B. P. O. E.

By H. ... Honhorst Secretary

## CITY HALL NOTES

Frank Calvert was arrested by Officer Hughes at the Rio Grande depot yesterday afternoon on a charge of larceny which was made by the Chinaman who runs a laundry in the alley in the rear of the Colorado Springs Transfer company's office on Pikes Peak avenue Calvert took some clothes that he found lying in the alley and thought had been thrown away but which had blown off the Chinaman's clothes line

James Stinsfield was fined $5 and costs for being drunk by the police judge yesterday and was committed to jail upon the nonpayment of his fine

David Combs a plain drunk was fined $5 and costs yesterday morning and was committed

William Clendening was fined $5 and costs for drunkenness and was given time to pay

John Dunn a drunk was fined $5 and costs and was committed to jail as he was not able to pay his fine

W. J. Peak was arrested on Colorado avenue in West Colorado Springs by Officer Fair and was fined $5 and costs in police court yesterday morning He was given time to pay

James Bryant and Chas Brady two drunks who were arrested in the Antlers park where they were sleeping were fined $5 and costs each and being unable to pay were committed

Some small delivery pipes on Cache la Poudre street broke the other day and the water had to be shut off from the main yesterday while they were being fixed by the water department There was very little damage done

The water extensions are almost completed and soon the last which is being laid through Hobbs addition on the West Side will be done and the water turned in This main will connect the six inch main of West Colorado Springs with the three inch main which extends through La Verre this making a new main clear through to Colorado City. This is all the extensions the water committee has planned to make for the present although the mains will be extended as fast as the growth of the town demands

A good many of the water rents have not been paid and the city treasurer wished to say that if they are not paid by the first of the month the water will be turned off from the premises without further notice

## STRAUSS ORCHESTRA

The control which Strauss has over his musicians, the way they play together as though but one man and that one Strauss himself were playing all their instruments is the wonder of everyone who has heard them When it is known that with one exception all the players have been with the orchestra from ten to thirty years and that the one exception has been with them eight one understands why in this respect at least the Strauss organization surpasses most American orchestras.

Strauss and his orchestra will be here in concert on January 9 at Temple Theater

**California Limited Train Daily (Santa Fe Route)**

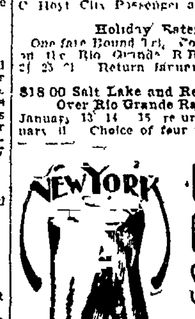
The Santa Fe California Limited train now runs daily and leaves Colorado Springs at 11 a. m. Another daily California train is also run carrying Pullman Palace and Tourist sleepers and chair cars Passengers for this train may leave—Colorado Springs at 10:20 p. m or at 6:00 a. m. Full particulars at Santa Fe City ticket office C. C. Hoyt City Passenger agent.

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## Amusements

**THE YALE MEN.**

Co... left end of this year's Yale team of football heroes has written his uncle Prof N. B. C... of Colorado college that he cannot come west with the Yale Glee club on their Christmas trip Coy is a member of the Glee club but because of his football work has not been able to attend rehearsals regularly and like others in a similar predicament has been excluded from the trip He says that Yale is this year sending out the best trained Glee and Banjo clubs that ever represented her This is the longest trip ever undertaken and as this is the year of Yale's bi-centennial celebration the Glee club proposes to make the occasion memorable by proving themselves the finest college musical organization in the country. Although there are no football players with the club Yale men will be glad to welcome Manager Hixon of the eleven who is one of the singers and to congratulate him on Yale's recent overwhelming scores

**A BRASS MONKEY**

A Brass Monkey Charles H. Hoyt's record breaking farce comedy that ran a whole season in New York has been a big winner on the road will be the bill at the opera house on New Year Day for the matinee and evening It will be a genuine Hoyt production and that means a standard of excellence seldom found in farce comedy performances The best of everything in the profession cannot be too good or expensive for him and this fact alone has given him a reputation which no other author of farce comedies can claim It has also brought him wealth and honors as a writer and producer In the star part of Baggage—Miss Mazie Trumbull is a dream of beauty and action The matinee prices will be children 25 cents, adults 50 cents Evening prices as usual

**MY FRIEND FROM INDIA**

This popular comedy will be presented at the opera house on Monday evening

There have been fewer things given at the Bijou theater that pleased so much as "My Friend From India" last night" so says the New York Herald With such a company as presented it there is not anything to be wanting the entire evening in the way of talent to present it or a more clever comedy was never seen at this popular house It is one of the brightest, and with all one of the most enjoyable comedies it has been our good pleasure to see It is of extremely farcical style better than "Charley's Aunt" or others of the same type and one of those that start the laugh at the beginning and continue it to the end The cast is an exceptionally good one and finely balanced "

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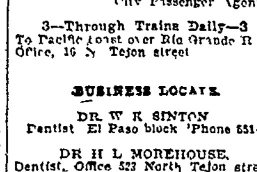
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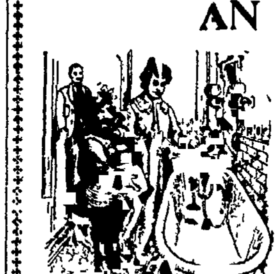
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# GOLD SOVEREIGN STRIKE

## Lessees In Whisper Workings Have Opened a Shoot In The Second Level--Sinking on The Independence.

Special to The Gazette

Cripple Creek Dec —Another good strike has been made on the Gold Sovereign this time by Allison and Stumpff in the Whisper workings The strike was made on the second level and at a point about 170 feet southwest of the shaft The shoot opened lies behind a big dike having a northwest and south east trend Fifty tons of ore have been hoisted from this place within four days and all of it runs on an average of $30 a ton without sorting

The Venture company has decided to find out what lies in Strattons Independence at great depth The main shaft which now has a depth of 900 feet will be sunk to 1 000 feet This wide undertaking was started yesterday when the men on the different shifts were assigned to clean the bottom of the sump Fifty thousand dollars will be expended in this work while several times this sum will be spent in lateral work to be started from the prospective levels It is stated that the entire expenditure in the work will approach half a million dollars

Stafford & Stacey who have a lease on a block of the Zenobia cut into a fine body of ore this week at a depth of 30 feet The vein is about two feet in width and has a value of from $50 to $ 00 to the ton The ore shows plenty of rusty gold

MacFinnis & Company leasing on the Pauper on Bull hill have cut a vein 15 feet west of the 70 foot level of that property The vein measures two feet and assays from $11 to $18 They will drift upon it expecting to encounter the vein traversing the Deadwood No 1 where it is expected that good values will be found

Jones Draper & Clements who recently secured a lease on the Gold... of the Rose Nicol company on the north slope of Battle mountain have cut a fine vein of ore in their shaft at a depth of 7 feet The body of ore is nearly two feet in width and gives assays of from $ to $150 to the ton

Allison and Merce have purchased the lease on block of the ... and will erect a hoisting plant and do some extensive development work

Campbell & Young of the ... Illinois lease on the Vindicator will send out a shipment of 40 tons on Saturday The ore will be divided in two grades and will consist of 15 tons of four ounce washings and 25 tons of two ounce rock

# A VIGOROUS PROTEST

## Made by Many Mining Men, Alleging Unjust Taxation And Unreasonable Assessments--Whoever Wishes to Sign This Must Attend at S. R. Bartlett's Office Before Noon Today

There is a vigorous protest among the mining men of Teller and El Paso counties against the exorbitant assessment of mining properties in the former county There is a long list of names signed to the protest and it is the common opinion that the assessments are simply out of reason and justice All those who desire to protest must sign the document in S R Bartlett s office before noon today

The following is the proxy

Colorado Springs Dec 20 1900

Whereas In the opinion of the undersigned the assessments upon mining claims in the Cripple Creek mining district Teller county Colo made for the year 1900 by the county commissioners and assessor of said Teller county Colorado are excessive and unlawful and

Whereas It is the desire of the owners of mining property within said district to contest the validity of said assessment, and by cooperation to restrain and prevent the collection of said unlawful and excessive taxes and

Whereas Said results desired can be obtained only by cooperation now therefore the undersigned hereby agree to pay their expenses of employing counsel and contesting the above matter in such manner as may be determined by counsel It being understood that each of the signers of this agreement is to contribute to the expenses of contesting said matter in the proportion which the amount of taxes assessed against his or its property shall bear to the amount of taxes assessed against the total number of signers of this agreement

It is further understood and agreed that this agreement shall not be binding unless there are at least one hundred signatures thereto

The undersigned appoint S R Bartlett as their agent ... counsel and make necessary arrangements for making the above contest

# MARY M'KINNEY

## Declares a Dividend--The Latest Developments in the Gold Hill Mine --The Lowest Workings Almost Unwatered.

On December 24 the directors of the Mary McKinney company convened and declared a dividend of three cents per share This means a $30 000 disbursement and will bring the total amount of dividends paid by this company to $210 000 This is the seventh consecutive disbursement and the company is in every way one of the most responsible and ably managed in the district One of the officers takes great pleasure in announcing that by the new year the lowest working of the mine will be completely rid of water and that the vein will be prospected at this depth Six months ago when the Mary McKinney vein was intersected in a cross drift run from the 500 foot level a tremendous flow of water was encountered which was a very difficult impediment to handle A 1 000 gallon capacity pump was installed and during the past half year active pumping has been in progress only to be completed after this long period The vein is bared and there only remains systematic drifting to determine how valuable the ore shoot will be The present tonnage of the mine is 70 tons a day and as the mine is equipped with one of the most complete hoisting plants and one of the most commodious shaft houses in camp it is probable that even this fine output will be increased Within a month the company will be able to make a statement as to the condition of the vein at the fifth level The Mary McKinney is distinguished as being the shallowest of any of the great producers in the camp

# A 10-CENT DIVIDEND

## Declared By New Zealand Management From Sale of a Three Acre Claim.

The owners of the New Zealand company have declared a 10 cent dividend which will be sent out to the stockholders on January 10 the books to close five days earlier

This disbursement is from the sale of one of the company s holdings—the New Zealand a three acre claim on Bull hill admirably located and a shipper of some importance The sale was consummated some time ago but the dividend has only just been declared

The New Zealand is a well developed property, having a 500 foot shaft and a great quantity of drifting and also some well defined pay veins from which much ore has been shipped The exact price of the claim has not been learned but the balance which will not be distributed to shareholders will be utilized for such development purposes for the other territory as the officers may see fit

In addition to the property sold the New Zealand company owns other property and interests namely the Pauper and Deadwood claims in the vicinity of Altman the controlling shares of the Magnolia company about half of the capital stock of the Compromise Mining company and almost 200 000 shares of Pinnacle stock All of the other claims of the New Zealand are shippers of merit, especially the Deadwood

# CONCERNING SEDAN

The only interesting feature in the present dull mining world is Sedan The evolution of this stock is well known to all followers of the local market and there are very few who have not been surprised at each advance and decline For the past few days in spite of a listless or rather slumpy market, Sedan has been on the upward trend until yesterday the high water mark was reached when these shares sold for 10¼ cents Three months ago the stock could have been purchased for eight cents less and this sudden and firm advance has been the topic of much comment A strike in the vicinity of the Sedan s Anna Belle claim was the supposed cause of the first jump and the fact that the lessee who made the strike also had a lease on Sedan ground gave cause for another rise An officer of the Sedan company declared a few days ago to a Gazette reporter that Lessie Kell m was daily expecting to strike ore on the Anna Belle Mining experts say that there is no doubt about the Sunshine vein crossing the Sedan property but the question is whether the vein has really been cut and found mineralized The movements of the stock during the next few days will probably determine this query

# GAZETTE'S DENVER MINING LETTER

(Special Correspondence.)

Denver Dec 27—Chas W Caryl the moving spirit in the mining operations of Wall Street mining camp Boulder county was at the Brown Palace yesterday and gave your correspondent the following information regarding the group of eighty five mining claims owned by the Gold Extraction Mining and Supply company He said We are running three tunnels Wall Street No 1 Wall Street No 2 and Sugar Loaf through very rich mineral mountains Our principal tunnel is at Wall Street No 1 has been run over 420 feet and passed through one strong vein and several less important blind veins I have been badly handicapped in my work by a set of backcappers, who have done everything in their power to beat me out of my property on which I have spent about $100 000 since I commenced to mine in Boulder county Parties owning a prospect pit in the trend of my tunnel would ask from $1 000 to $6 000 for holes in the ground where they had done no work to develop them for years until they discovered that our tunnel would pass in line with their claim I have a lease and bond on many of these so called leads Several of them have already been paid for and are now owned by the company Human nature is wonderfully constructed especially when a mining deal is under consideration The value of prospect pits becomes fearfully inflated under certain conditions brought about by outside capital The owners or claimants would never work such veins but will quietly sit down and wait for such opportunities to blackmail and bulldoze those who are willing to pay reasonable prices for the claims and the privilege of passing through them Those men for whom I have done the most financially are the parties who are using every effort to suspend operations which would mean a large number of mines thrown out of work because I will not tolerate blackmailers Mr Caryl is working several properties from which he is taking good ore and he expects very soon to have a process for treating the immense bodies of low grade ores now being mined in the camp The people who will build this mill in the near future are now at work on the Nelly Bly mill at Magnolia and will soon have it ready to run The process is chlorination in the main, with some new chemical to assist oxidation and free the gold from the baser metals Electricity will be used in connection with the process and experts are given out by the inventors that a salvage of 95 to 100 per cent assay value is made This would be a wonderful help to the great number of low grade mines of Boulder county

Colonel West & Brainard manager of Camp Talcott mines owned by Secretary Lyman Gage makes Denver his home for the winter months He said the Alaska tunnel had been run 1 800 feet west and work is being prosecuted as fast as machine drills and money can push He has 1 500 feet further to drive before he cuts the Columbia vein on the Utica property and at this point he will be 600 feet deeper than the crosscut run by the Adit or Big Five parties will tap the Columbia vein

Colonel Brainard said the Wild five good gold bearing veins which the tunnel will tap in its trend These all show up well on surface and will be thoroughly tested when encountered in the tunnel Everything is going on nicely in the camp he said although I have laid off several of my miners for the winter as usual but this force will be taken back again in the spring

Prof Badger of Wall Street has made a thorough examination of the Zopher and other properties owned by the Wood Mountain Mining company and told your correspondent that the ore body now exposed in the Zopher lode ... feet in the ... tunnel was 14 feet between walls the greater part of this body of mineralized stuff will run through the company s mill near the mouth of the tunnel which utilizes 40 tons per 24 hours Mr Caryl says the ... is wonderful ore and the company making great money

The ... is furnished with a plant of machinery over which is built a substantial shaft house and mining ... vigor and determination ... Blaisdell is ... ore from the ... shaft going towards the Great Britain mine will run from $60 to $80 per ton from a vein about 20 inches thick

The Forest mine situated near the ... on Four Mile creek has been a regular shipper for a long time A track has been built from the shaft house to the railroad and the dumps ... are into the railroad cars placed on the ... by the company for that purpose and when filled they are ... to Boulder where the ore is treated

The ... mine at Gold Hill has a large body of ore in sight which is being mined successfully while the management is steadily developing the property for greater production of mineral

The Sill mine virtually owned by Hon Willard Teller employs from 30 to 40 men generally leasing The shaft is below the 1 100 foot point and shows rich ore in the bottom This should be a very strong argument against the common assertion that the tellurides do not go ... depth in Boulder county If 1 000 feet should be any argument in favor of the tellurides it is not ... those who have never investigated such properties thoroughly but simply jump at conclusions The Sill mine is a good example The Gold Age and several other mines have reached the 500 foot point and all show good ore bodies as depth is attained

The Baltimore mine is producing good ore and shipments are made to the Boulder and Denver sampling works and mills.

The Princess is stepping into line as a shipper of good grade of mineral and by development the property is very much improved There is not very much active operation carried on in the mines of Jamestown at this writing but it is asserted many of them will start up with the beginning of the new century

# MINING NOTES AROUND TOWN

The New Santa Rita ore bins are completed and everything is in readiness on that property for an increased production The shaft is in the ground 60 feet and the showing on the vein is all that can be desired The vein is a good two feet in width and across this breadth the values average better than two ounces The future of this company is indeed bright and a fine output for the ensuing year is expected

The ore bins which have been in course of preparation for some time are now completed on the Anaconda property and when the shaft has attained 1 000 feet the mine will begin a steady course of production and development All present expenses are easily liquidated by the various leases on the vast territory each one of which is a paying proposition

### REGULAR SHIPMENTS FROM FREE COINAGE LESSEES

The well known Mercer lease on the Coinage claim sent out a large shipment all of which was smelting grade ore The Murphy lease on the same property shipped about 40 tons which will run into the big figures The workings on the Pinto have closed down

### A LESSEE MAKES A GOOD SHIPMENT

Lessee Jenkins on the Sheriff near Windy Point has sent out an ore consignment of mill ore In all the shipment will amount to 25 tons and will assay an average of an ounce The Sheriff is situated on the saddle between Bull and Raven hills and is in the vicinity of the Central and Amanda Consolidated

### TWO FORTUNATE LESSEES STRIKE THE REEF

Moore and McCourt have encountered ore in their lease on the Flying Cloud situated on the north slope of Bull hill In a drift which is being extended at the 100 foot level eighteen inches of quartz is now showing in the breast Assays taken yesterday show a value on sixteen inches of the quartz that runs about $80 Two inches of the rock along the hanging wall shows sylvanite in abundance and will assay about $1 000 The controlling interest in the Flying Cloud company s stock is held by the Pinnacle company

### PRINCESS ALICE HAS LOT OF ORE

The ore bins of the Princess Alice are overflowing with rock A shipment can be made at any time The ore which has been hoisted will average three ounces and comes from the scene of the late strike which is holding out splendidly The shaft is down over 1 000 feet

### DOCTOR-JACK POT MAKES SEVERAL FINE SHIPMENTS.

Several shipments were sent out recently on the account of the Doctor-Jack Pot Consolidated There were two cars of average rock and two and a half ounces is expected to be what this shipment will return There were also about 20 tons of a higher grade ore which will run about $200 This ore was hoisted through the Doctor shaft

### A TEMPORARY SHUT-DOWN

The Pinto workings of the Free Coinage company have closed down to permit of some necessary but trifling repairs and to overhaul the boiler and other machinery This suspension of work will last probably a week

### A VEIN CUT ON PAUPER CLAIM

Jesse McMannis working on the Pauper claim of the New Zealand company has cut a vein at the 70 foot level which measures two feet across The ore averages slightly less than an ounce of gold to the ton

### A SHIPMENT FROM COPPER MOUNTAIN

From the Galena claim on Copper mountain a shipment is being prepared The property is being worked by King & Cain and they report everything in good condition Several claims in this vicinity are also being busily worked

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## THE COLORADO SPRINGS MINING STOCK EXCHANGE

Colorado Springs, Dec. 27.—Today's market relapsed into a dull spiritless one with weakening prices and a dull trading, which proves that yesterday's recovery was merely the result of accumulated orders. The mine list was especially uninteresting as compared with yesterday, while the pit call was more than usually strong. All interest centered about Sedan, which advanced quickly to 10¾. The officers are very reticent as to exact condition of the property and it is the consensus of opinion that ore has been struck on the Keller lease. There must be something very tangible to warrant the phenomenal advance of about 500 per cent in three months.

MINES

| Stocks— | Bid | Ask | Sales |
|---|---|---|---|
| Argentum J. | | | |
| Anaconda | 48 | 49¼ | 3000 |
| Big Four | | | |
| Black Bell | 11 | [illegible] | |
| Butterfly T. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| C. C. Con | [illegible] | 12⅞ | [illegible] |
| Cork-Jambs | [illegible] | 15½ | |
| Dixie | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Doctor Jack Pot | [illegible] | 1 04 | [illegible] |
| Elkton Cons | 1 83¼ | 1 86 | [illegible] |
| El Paso Gold | [illegible] | 44 | [illegible] |
| Findley | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Gold Dollar | 21¼ | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| O. Hen Placer | [illegible] | | |
| Ingham Con | 21¼ | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Isabella | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Jack Pot | 70½ | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Last Dollar | [illegible] | 70 | |
| Lexington | 10½ | 11 | [illegible] |
| Mal | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Mollie Gibson | | 2 | |
| Moltre I | 1 | | |
| Moon Anchor | [illegible] | 31 | |
| Orphan | | | |
| Pharmacist Con | [illegible] | 9 | |
| Pinnacle | | 16½ | |
| Portland | 3 21 | | 1500 |
| Prince Albert | | [illegible] | |
| Union | | [illegible] | |
| Vindicator | | [illegible] | |
| Work | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Zenobia | 19 | [illegible] | |

PROSPECTS

| Stocks— | Bid | Ask | Sales |
|---|---|---|---|
| Alamo | 10½ | | 6000 |
| Alert | | 11 | |
| Anchor | [illegible] | [illegible] | 6000 |
| Antelope | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Arrow | 4[illegible] | | 1000 |
| B. H. Ajax | [illegible] | 6 | 1000 |
| Big Dick | | | |
| Bonnie Nell | | | |
| Bonanza | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Calle Cons | | | |
| Cadillac | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1000 |
| C. C. Columbia | [illegible] | 10½ | 1000 |
| C. C. C. Ex | 15¼ | | 4000 |
| C. C. and Georgetown | | | |
| Central Con | 5½ | 6 | 5000 |
| Champion | | | |
| Chicago | [illegible] | 2[illegible] | |
| C. O. D. | | | |
| Commonwealth | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Constantine | [illegible] | [illegible] | 6000 |
| Cosmos | | | |
| Crown | | | |
| Currency | | 6 | |
| Easter Bell | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Eclipse Con | 8 | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Fanny Ray | | [illegible] | |
| Lorena gh | | | |
| Goldfield M. and T. | 2[illegible] | 4 | |
| Gold Hill | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Grace | [illegible] | 4[illegible] | 2000 |
| Greater Gold Belt | | [illegible] | |
| Hayden Gold | [illegible] | | |
| Ida May | 2 | [illegible] | |
| Jolly Jane | | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Katinka | | | |
| Key West | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Kitty Gold | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Little Bessie | [illegible] | [illegible] | 2000 |
| Little Joan | | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Little Nell | [illegible] | | |
| Little Puck | 11¼ | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Magnet Rock | [illegible] | 3[illegible] | [illegible] |
| Margaret | [illegible] | 2[illegible] | |
| Marg r | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Maria A | [illegible] | [illegible] | 2000 |
| Mariposa | [illegible] | [illegible] | 4000 |
| Midway | 4 | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Mint | 12 | 16 | |
| Missouri | [illegible] | 4 | 1000 |
| M. J. T. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 4000 |
| Melville | 3 | [illegible] | |
| Mollie Dwyre | [illegible] | [illegible] | 4000 |
| Morning Star | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Nellie V. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| New Haven | 8 | [illegible] | 1000 |

PROSPECTS—Continued

| Stocks— | Bid | Ask | Sales |
|---|---|---|---|
| O. K. | [illegible] | 3 | |
| Olive Branch | [illegible] | 4⅝ | |
| Oriole | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Palace | 1[illegible] | | 1000 |
| Pilgrim | | [illegible] | |
| Pilgrim Con | [illegible] | 5 | [illegible] |
| Princess Coll | [illegible] | | |
| Progress | [illegible] | | |
| Pythias | 4 | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Robert Burns | 4½ | | |
| Rose Maud | 5[illegible] | 5½ | 1000 |
| Rose Nicol | [illegible] | 10 | [illegible] |
| Silver Gold | | | |
| Texas Girl | | 1[illegible] | |
| Trachyte | | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Uncle Sam | | 4 | 1000 |
| Wide Awake | | [illegible] | |

UNLISTED

| Stocks | Bid | Ask | Sales |
|---|---|---|---|
| Acacia | [illegible] | [illegible] | 2000 |
| Alamo | [illegible] | 1 | |
| American Con | 4 | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Anchoria Leland | | | |
| Aola | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Arcadia Con | | | |
| Bankers | 1 | | |
| Banner Gold | | [illegible] | |
| Battle Mt. Con | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Ben Hur | 1 | | |
| Blue Bell | 13[illegible] | 14[illegible] | |
| Bob Lee | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Buckhorn | [illegible] | [illegible] | 2000 |
| C. C. and M. | | 9[illegible] | |
| C. K. and N. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Colfax | | 2[illegible] | |
| Col. Vic. Tunnel | 10[illegible] | | 1000 |
| Copper Mt. | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Creede and C. C. | | | |
| Damon | [illegible] | 11 | 3000 |
| Des Moines | [illegible] | | |
| Emma Aimee | 1[illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Enterprise | 15½ | | |
| Ernestine | [illegible] | 2[illegible] | |
| Fanny Rawlings | | | |
| Flower of the West | 4[illegible] | 4[illegible] | 16000 |
| Franklin | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Garfield Con | | | |
| Glasgow | [illegible] | | |
| Golden Age | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Gold Coin | 4 00 | 5 00 | |
| Golden Eagle | 3[illegible] | 4 | 2000 |
| Gold and Globe | [illegible] | | |
| Gold King | 1 00 | | [illegible] |
| Gold Sovereign | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Gould | 31 | 33 | [illegible] |
| Granite Hill | 2[illegible] | | 1000 |
| Hart C. M. and T. | 1[illegible] | 1 | |
| Humboldt | 3[illegible] | 3½ | 17000 |
| Ironclad | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1000 |
| Jefferson | [illegible] | 5½ | |
| Josephine | 1[illegible] | | |
| Kaffirs | | [illegible] | 3000 |
| Kentucky | 4½ | 4[illegible] | 2000 |
| Keystone | 12½ | 17 | |
| Kimberly | 11½ | 11[illegible] | 1000 |
| Los Angeles | 2[illegible] | 3[illegible] | 7000 |
| Magna Charta | 1 | 1½ | |
| Monarch | [illegible] | [illegible] | 4000 |
| Mt. Beauty | [illegible] | 51 | 1000 |
| Mt. Rosa | [illegible] | 40 | 3500 |
| Mutual | [illegible] | | |
| National | [illegible] | [illegible] | 10000 |
| Nugget | | | |
| Old Gold | 1[illegible] | 1[illegible] | [illegible] |
| Ophir | [illegible] | | |
| Pappoose | 6[illegible] | [illegible] | 1100 |
| Ramona | [illegible] | 6[illegible] | 1000 |
| Rattler | 4[illegible] | 4[illegible] | |
| Red Umbrella | 9 | 1 | |
| Reno | 8[illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Republic | 8 | 8[illegible] | 6000 |
| Rocky Mt. | [illegible] | | 5000 |
| Sacramento | | 7 | |
| Sedan | 10[illegible] | 10[illegible] | [illegible] |
| Shannon | [illegible] | [illegible] | 2000 |
| Silver State | 1½ | 1[illegible] | |
| Theresa | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| Virginia M. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |

## MORNING CALL

### SEPARATE SALES

MINES.

C. C. Con 2000 at 12⅞
Gold Dollar 15,000 at 21½, 1000 at 21⅝
Doctor-Jack Pot, 200 at $1 02, 3500 at $1 00
Jack Pot, 500 at 72
Portland 1200 at $3 30

PROSPECTS.

Alamo 5000 at 11
B. H. Ajax 1000 at 5⅝
C. C. Columbia 1000 at 10½
Central Con, 1000 at 6, 1000 at 6⅛
Constantine 6000 at 5⅞
Eclipse Con 1000 at 8⅛
Grace 2000 at 4⅜
Jolly Jane 1000 at 7, 1000 at 7¼
Little Puck 1000 at 11⅛, 1000 at 11¼
Magnet Rock 10,000 at 3¼
Mariposa, 1000 at 5¼, 2000 at 5⅜
Missouri, 1000 at 3⅞
M. J. T. 1000 at 3⅞, 2000 at 3¼
New Haven 1000 at 8¼
Rose Nicol 1000 at 10¼
Uncle Sam 1000 at 4

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Buckhorn 2000 at [illegible]
Col.-Vic. Tunnel 1000 at 10¼
Flower of the West 13,000 at 4⅞
Gold Sovereign 2000 at 7½
Granite Hill 1000 at 3
Humboldt 7000 at 3¾
Ironclad 1000 at 5
Kaffirs 3000 at [illegible]
Kentucky 1000 at 4¾
Kimberly 1000 at 11¼
Mt. Rosa 2,00 at 40
National 1000 at 9½, 4000 at 8⅝
Reno 2000 at 8⅞
Republic 1000 at 8
Rocky Mountain 5000 at 6¼
Sedan 1000 at 10, 5000 at 10¼, 2000 at 10⅜, 8000 at 10½, 7000 at 10⅝, 1000 at 10⅝

PIT CALL.

Astor 4000 at 00⅝
Blanche 8000 at 8¼
Celestine 2000 at 2
Xmas 1000 at 13
Colonial Dames 1000 at 2½
German Am. 1000 at 5¼
Gold Calf 1000 at 2⅜
Gold Knob 1000 at 11
Independence T. and M. 1000 at 2
Lucrative 1000 at 6¼
Mary Cashen 3000 at 12
Marroon T. 1500 at 9
Pointer 3000 at 13⅝, 13,000 at 13¾
St. Thomas 1000 at 7⅝
Trenton 1000 at 2⅞
Waverly 3000 at 2
Wire Gold, 1000 at 1
Zoe 5000 at 8⅝, 1000 at 9¼ (buy 30)

PROSPECTS

Anchor 6000 at 2[illegible]
Arrow 1000 at 4½
Cadillac 1000 at 2⅝
C. C. C. Ex 1000 at 1[illegible], 1000 at 15½, 2000 at 15½
Central Con 2000 at 6
Little Bessie 2000 at [illegible]
Little Joan 1000 at [illegible]
Little Puck 1000 at 11¼
Magnet Rock 1000 at 3⅛, 1000 at [illegible]
Maria A 2000 at 3½
Midway 1000 at 4[illegible]
M. J. T. 1000 at 3½
Mollie Dwyre 4000 at ½
Morning Star 1000 at 3⅛
Oriole 1000 at 3¾
Palace 1000 at 1½
Pilgrim Con 2000 at 8
Pythias 1000 at 4¼
Rose Maud 1000 at 5½
Rose Nicol 3000 at 10
Trachyte, 1000 at 5

UNLISTED

Acacia 3000 at 30
American Con 1000 at 7
Aola 1000 at 4⅞
Battle Mt. Con 1000 at 20, 2000 at 19⅞
Bob Lee, 3000 at 4⅛, 2000 at 4⅛
C. K. and N. 1000 at 2⅞
Copper Mt. 2000 at 3⅞
Damon 1000 at 11
Flower of the West 3000 at 4½
Golden Eagle 2000 at 3⅞
Gold King 300 at $1 00
Gould, 700 at 31
Humboldt 5000 at 3½
Kentucky 1000 at 4½
Los Angeles 2000 at 2⅝
Monarch 1000 at 9¼, 7000 at 9
Mt. Beauty 1000 at 5⅞
National, 5000 at 9[illegible]
Old Gold 7000 at 1¼
Pappoose 10,000 at 6⅞, 4000 at 6½
Ramona 1000 at 8
Republic 5000 at 8
Sedan 1000 at 10⅞, 1000 at 10¾, 17,000 at 10¾, 13,000 at 10¾
Shannon 2000 at 2½

PIT CALL

Blanche 2000 at 8
Carrie S. 1000 at 1½
Celestine 1000 at 2
Favorite 1000 at 1¼
Pointer 9000 at 13¾, 5000 at 14⅛, 2000 at 14⅛ (buy 30), 7000 at 14 (buy 30)
Gold Knob 2000 at 11
Mary Nevin, 1000 at 4⅞
Theresa M. and L. 300 at 20
Wire Gold 1000 at 1
Zoe 5000 at 9⅛, 7000 at 9⅜, 1000 at 8⅞, 3000 at 9½

## CRIPPLE CREEK EXCHANGE

Following are the sales and closing quotations on the Cripple Creek exchange as received over the private wire of J. McK. FERRIDAY & CO., Rooms 11-12 El Paso Block, brokers, of this city.

| Stocks— | Bid | Ask. | Sales |
|---|---|---|---|
| Acacia | 29[illegible] | 30½ | 12000 |
| Anaconda | 49 | 49½ | 1000 |
| Big Four | 1⅞ | 2 | 4000 |
| Blanche | 7⅞ | 8 | 7000 |
| Ben Hur | 7 | 7⅛ | 1000 |
| C. C. Col | 9⅞ | 10⅛ | 2000 |
| Enterprise | 15⅜ | 16 | 4000 |
| Guyot | 1⅜ | 1⅝ | 10000 |
| Gold Calf | 2⅝ | 2⅞ | 1000 |
| Los Angeles | 2⅝ | 2¾ | 2000 |
| Lexington | 10⅜ | 10⅝ | 6000 |
| Midway | 4½ | 4⅝ | 1000 |
| Monarch | 8⅞ | 9 | 5000 |
| Maria A | 3⅜ | 3½ | 1000 |
| National | | 9⅜ | 10000 |
| Pharmacist | 8⅞ | 9 | 6000 |
| Pointer | 13¾ | 13[illegible] | 20000 |
| Prince Albert | 5⅜ | 5⅝ | 2000 |
| Rattler | 4⅜ | 4⅝ | 2000 |
| Sedan | 10⅝ | | 7000 |
| Silhouette | | | 5000 |
| Trenton | 2 | 2⅛ | 4000 |
| Wire Gold | | 1¼ | 3000 |
| Western Gold | 3 | 3⅛ | 2000 |
| Zoe | | | 5000 |
| Total | | | 158000 |

## AFTERNOON CALL

### SEPARATE SALES

MINES.

Anaconda 3000 at 49 (buy 30)
Doctor-Jack Pot 8000 at $1 00
Elkton Con 100 at $1 84, 500 at 1 84½, 400 at 1 85
El Paso Gold, 4000 at 43½
Gold Dollar 4000 at 21⅞
Ingham Con 1000 at 21¼
Jack Pot 400 at 72, 500 at 71½, 600 at 71
Lexington 2000 at 10¾, 4000 at 10⅞ (buy 30), 700 at 10, 2000 at 10⅞ (buy 30), 1000 at 10⅞
Matoa 1000 at 35
Portland 10 at $3 25
Work 1000 at 21½

# STATE MINING

SAN JUAN COUNTY.

Ole Lee and Theo Paul bond and lease 12 claims located in Hematite gulch, Tower mountain, to Minneapolis parties; consideration $40,000. A cash payment of $1,000 was made, the balance in three payments. The claims involved adjoin the Occidental group on the north and is the extension of a group of three claims owned by Andy Kauth and another group of three owned by Jerry Terry lying between them. The big strike made in the Occidental this week makes this mining section in great demand. The surface showings in this section are exceptional and the strike in the Occidental proves that it improves with depth.—(Silverton Miner.

The Oro tunnel, started four years ago in the Silverton district of San Juan, has been sold to Mrs. Mary B. Morell of New York City for $100,000 cash and the final papers conveying all the several interests in the property were signed and delivered to the representatives of Mrs. Morell in this city last Thursday.

The tunnel has been driven about 700 feet and arrangements have been made to continue the work without intermission. It starts at a point in the Silverton branch of the Denver & Rio Grande, about three miles below Silverton, and will run in a direct line for the Silver Lake mine, three miles distant, which it will cut at a depth of 1,600 feet from the surface—1,000 feet lower than the big tunnel started by Mr. St. Eler.

In the intervening space it is expected to cut a number of good veins which have been hidden by overlying lime and wash. The tunnel was started by B. T. Kelly and is regarded by miners as an exceedingly attractive tunnel scheme. Mrs. Morell has ample means for the completion of the enterprise and has perfected all her plans for its continuous operation.—(Denver Times.

The Occidental, in the lower drift, which is now in some 1,100 feet, has had a large and continuous body of a good grade of milling ore, when suddenly, on the 14th inst., there was encountered a four-foot streak of high grade grey copper and bismuth running high in silver and some gold, which is a smelting proposition. They have drifted sixty feet on this rich body and proves to be continuous. Assays give $700 per ton, while the entire streak is estimated to be better than $400 per ton. The manager, James Lewis, is highly elated over the successful find, as it is one of the biggest and richest strikes yet made in the camp. Jim Lucky Jim, as we call him, may well feel proud for the record he has made for himself and the company he represents. The Natalie company, which is driving a crosscut tunnel farther up the gulch and under the same management, will cut this vein 400 feet deeper than the lowest workings on the Occidental. The tunnel is now in 400 feet and 800 feet further will reach it. The object of this tunnel was to crosscut several lodes on its way to the Natalie claim, which is a large well defined vein and shows good surface values. When completed the Natalie tunnel will be in 2,300 feet, with a depth of 2,500 feet on the vein.—(Silverton Miner.

OURAY COUNTY.

The Hon. James T. Pierson of Ouray writes the Miner to find out something about corundum, its value and uses. It is composed of nearly pure alumina and is allied to the sapphire, extremely hard, and is sometimes called adamantine spar. It is used in the manufacture of emery and other purposes and is a crystallized or massive mineral, and not so valuable as it was a few years ago, being more plentiful.

Mr. Pierson says he knows of a body of it twenty feet long and four or five inches in thickness and would like to be informed as to its commercial value. That depends upon its quality, the demand and other conditions. Perhaps Mr. Pearson's corundum mine is worth investigating.—(Colorado Miner.

Ouray county is now laying claim to second place in the production of gold for 1900 and the evidence is undeniably in support of the claim. With increased production from the Camp Bird, Virginius and other prominent properties of that district the figures are steadily climbing and by the end of the year will be somewhere around the $3,000,000 mark. But figures will tell the tale. San Miguel's output will reach good figures this year, but it has been rather a year of development than production.—(San Miguel Examiner.

J. A. Mills, president of the Blaine Mining and Milling company of Toronto, Canada, was in the city Tuesday and during an interview with a reporter gave a very encouraging description of the present workings on the group just north of Sneffels.

Lately a force of twenty-two men has been at work and the tunnel has been lengthened ten feet every day. Recently four quartz veins were encountered which run very high in value. Steam drills are at work to develop the lower group and are making rapid progress in developing the property.

Seventy-five thousand dollars in ore values have been shipped during the past eighteen months, and at a period during the first half of this time when the development was accomplished by hand and without the aid of machinery and the product hauled over very poor roads to Ridgway, the shipping point. Now the road is one of the best in the state and no delay is encountered on this part of the transportation.

A recent assay showed a value of $2,300 in gold to the ton.

President Mills intends erecting a fine tramway of 1,500 feet in length in the spring, as it is difficult during the winter to make rapid progress over this portion of the trail with pack trains and sixes. The company has a fine compressor which adds greatly to the rapid output of the mine.

One of these groups is adjacent to the famous Smuggler and a portion of the workings of the Revenue is very near to the Blaine properties.

The company has the finest water power in the state for any mining purposes that it needs, which is a great consideration and very valuable.

A concentrating mill of thirty stamps will be erected in the spring, which will more than double the output and effect a great saving through the shipment of concentrates.

Mr. Mills intends pushing the workings of the group with as large a force as can be worked, and the Toronto capitalists will see that the necessary capital is placed at his command, and from his well known mining experience it can safely be said that another valuable and heavy shipper has been added to the district.—(Silverton Plaindealer.

OURAY COUNTY

The Camp Bird Extension company is pushing vigorous work, and at this time a shaft is being sunk on the Camp Bird vein. A tunnel is also being driven on a vein which intersects the Camp Bird vein at right angles. A splendid mineral territory is expected. Good ore is also shown on other ground owned by the same company, a galena ore carrying high silver values, having been encountered. A correspondent to Mining Investor says:

There is every indication that the gold output in Ouray county this year will reach the enormous sum of $3,000,000. The estimated silver output of the Camp Bird for the year is conservatively placed at $2,000,000. The next great gold producer is the American Nettie, which has been since the new mill started shipping in retort alone $1,000 per day, and about $750 is being daily saved from the concentrates at the smelters. For the last five months of the year this record will be maintained, which for the period named would make the output, in round numbers, amount to $300,000, and for the entire year fully $250,000. The Atlas and the gold values of the Revenue and numerous other mines in the county will easily amount up to $750,000, making a grand total of $3,000,000 in gold for the year 1900, and placing Ouray safely second in the columns of Colorado's gold producing counties. It is predicted that in 1901 the gold output will double in value, and there will be greater activity in mining than ever before in the history of the county. That Ouray possesses fabulously rich mineral wealth is no longer a matter of conjecture. The great gold producers, the Revenue, the Virginius and the Bachelor, located widely apart one from the other, are the real substantiating evidence of our claims, and are the properties which guarantee in a large measure the development of other mines of equal if not in a greater magnitude.—(San Miguel Examiner.

DOLORES COUNTY.

Work will be pushed on the Atlantic Cable this winter. Campbell and Webber have added to the force. It is said a sulphuric acid plant is talked of at Rico, and a considerable quantity of sulphide ore at $1 per ton on the dump is proffered the projectors. The old Patrick concentrator will probably be remodeled for operation in the spring. The Meredith M. and M. company is preparing to remodel its plant and generally improve the property. The Golden Spray is looking good and a tunnel of over 1,500 feet has been driven during the past year. Wakeman and Hicks are operating the property, and have prospects for a big proposition. Active work still continues on the Madam de Fargo group, and the showing is satisfactory. There is a great deal of work going on throughout the county and the outlook for next summer is very gratifying.—(San Miguel Examiner.


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# STRENGTH OF RIO GRANDE

## Led a Bull Movement In Large Groups of Low Priced Stocks.

## ABUNDANT MONEY ON CALL

## Bears Who Sold Freely in Early Trading Covered Again on Large Scale Before the Close.

New York, Dec. 27.—The markets digested an enormous amount of stock on profit taking today. These heavy offerings were not without effect on prices and in fact there was a [illegible] of very general reaction but like yesterday the market again demonstrated its marvelous recuperative power and the speculative enthusiasm was shifted into new quarters where the buying was resumed with unabated confidence. In a large part of the general list the movement of prices was erratic at any time and the large volume of business was accomplished without either making an inroad on the market value or increasing it. In other stocks the day's price range was very wide while the net change is quite marked. In this list were stocks which yielded sharply to the profit taking movement and then recovered sharply in sympathy with the strength which developed at new points. The Grangers and Pacifics are examples. The distinguishing feature of the day's trading was the development of aggressive strength in large groups of low priced stocks both in the railroad and miscellaneous departments. The advance in Denver & Rio Grande common gave the cue for this movement. The strength in the Rio Grande stock and the large amount of the absorption gave rise to the conjecture that a process had begun of transfusion of interest between railroad companies in that region looking to a settlement of obstinate [illegible] problems similar to the exchange of holdings which has occurred between railroads in other regions.

The uneasiness over the money market was again allayed by the abundance of offerings on call which carried the rate down to 4 per cent in the late dealings. This was an influential factor in rallying the market and the bears who sold freely in the early trading covered again on a large scale before the close.

Business in bonds was large and the market gained in strength as the day progressed. Total sales $8,130,000.

U. S. old 4s [illegible] advanced [illegible] funding 3s [illegible] and 3s [illegible] on last call.

### STOCKS AND BONDS

#### Government Bonds

U. S. 2s r g [illegible] Old 4s reg [illegible]
do 3s reg [illegible] do 4s coup [illegible]
do 3s coup [illegible] [illegible]
New 4s reg [illegible] coup [illegible]
do 4s coup [illegible]

#### Miscellaneous Bonds

Atch gen 4s [illegible]
do adj 4s [illegible]
Can So 2nds [illegible]
C and O 4½s [illegible]
do 5s [illegible]
C and N 7s [illegible]
do deb 5s [illegible]
Chi Ter 4s [illegible]
Colo So 4s [illegible]
D R G 1sts [illegible]
do 4s [illegible]
E T V G 1sts [illegible]
Erie gen 4s [illegible] do 5s

#### Railroad Stocks

[illegible]

#### Express Companies

Adams [illegible] United States [illegible]
Am rican [illegible] Wells Fargo [illegible]

#### Miscellaneous

[illegible]

### Chicago Grain and Provisions

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Indifference at Liverpool and a decline at Paris equal to 1½c only caused liberal offerings of wheat at the start. May opening ⅜c under yesterday at 72⅞@73c. The market fluctuated narrowly for hours sustained by a big increase in the visible supply [illegible] bushels by light northwestern receipts and by the strength [illegible] [illegible] light. May fell [illegible] [illegible] the fact that no gossip in the report was the fact that the closing [illegible] to stay even as far as possible.

Corn was quiet but firm.

Oats were dull.

Provisions were dull but fairly steady.

[illegible]

[illegible]

Cash [illegible] follows [illegible]

[illegible]

### Chicago Cattle

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Cattle—Receipts [illegible] Natives [illegible] medium $4 [illegible] [illegible] $2 65@3 00 [illegible] calves $4 00@5 75; Texans [illegible] $4 00@4 80 [illegible] $3 [illegible] bulls $2 [illegible]

Hogs—Receipts [illegible] Mixed and butchers $4 [illegible] good to choice heavy $4 [illegible] rough heavy $4 00@ [illegible] light $4 65@4 [illegible] bulk of sales $4 [illegible]

Sheep—Receipts 14,000. Good to choice wethers $3 80@4 00; fair to choice mixed $3 40@3 80; western sheep $3 80@4 00; Texas sheep $2 00@3 00; native lambs $4 [illegible] western lambs $5 00@5 40.

### The Metal Market.

New York, Dec. 27.—Though the London market for tin advanced about £5 over last Friday it was still somewhat of a disappointment to the local metal trade. In fact the London market closed weak and tending downward at £123 2s 6d. The local market was easy and nominally quoted at $25 [illegible] against $27@28 yesterday with little business doing at these figures. Copper advanced £1 since Friday on good buying orders at London but failed to influence the local situation, prices remaining nominally unchanged at $17 for lake and $16⅝ for casting and electrolytic. Lead ruled dull at $4 37½, while at London prices scored a rise of 2s 6d to £16 5s on light speculative movements. Spelter was dull, closing prices were on the basis of $4 [illegible] and £18 10s respectively. Domestic iron markets continue inactive and nominally unchanged. Pig iron warrants $9 50@10 50; Northern foundry $15 [illegible]; Southern foundry $14 50@[illegible] and soft southern $15@15 75.

### The London Market.

New York, Dec. 27.—Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram: The markets here were fairly active today after the holidays, owing to the cheerful expectation of cheaper money in the new year and the failure of the Bank of England to raise its minimum discount rate which however caused no surprise.

American securities were less active than they have been recently. London was disposed to take profits but New York supported prices and the close was at the best. Money was very firm owing to end of year requirements and the settlements.

### New York Money

New York, Dec. 27.—Money on call firm at 4@7; last loan at [illegible]. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5½.

Sterling exchange [illegible] with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 85 for demand and $4 81⅛@4 81¼ for 60 days. Posted rates $4 82@4 85½. Commercial bills $4 80½@4 80¾.

Silver certificates [illegible] Bar silver [illegible] Mexican dollars 50.

Bonds: Government strong; state inactive; railroads [illegible].

### The Coffee Market

New York, Dec. 27.—Coffee—Spot Rio easy, No. 7 invoice 6⅞; mild quiet; Cordova 9½@13½.

### MURDER AND SUICIDE

#### J W Tinsley Killed His Wife and Then Shot Himself

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 27.—John W. Tinsley shot and killed his wife, Anna P. Tinsley, on the street today and then fired a bullet into his own head, dying instantly. The bullet that killed his wife entered the left eye and penetrated the brain.

The couple were married at Van Buren, Ark., [illegible] this year. Tinsley represented himself as possessed of property in Helena, Mont., to the value of $[illegible]. His wife had $100 cash and a house and lot in Jackson [illegible] valued at $[illegible]. This latter her husband induced her to sacrifice for $1,800 and five days after marriage they came to Los Angeles on the honeymoon trip, the expenses of which were defrayed by Mrs. Tinsley. From here they went to Mineral Wells, Texas, and August 28 reached Excelsior Springs, Mo. There Tinsley induced his wife to turn over to him the $[illegible] that remained of her money and told her he must go to Helena to settle up his affairs. After his departure she found that he had also taken a diamond ring and stud valued at $[illegible]. She then [illegible] from the latter [illegible] Los Angeles in which he [illegible] that he had [illegible] this [illegible] quite a [illegible] more.

She followed him here but in the meantime he had departed for [illegible] [illegible] later he returned to Los Angeles and an arrangement was [illegible] she [illegible] a draft on an Arkansas bank for $[illegible] and promised to make other arrangements. She [illegible] the draft [illegible] and it was returned with the statement that it was to Tinsley's credit and had been withdrawn by telegraph. On the [illegible] of this [illegible] with Mr. Tinsley [illegible] again [illegible] [illegible] in the street [illegible] [illegible] $3,000 [illegible] [illegible] from her and [illegible] this suit and the couple [illegible] up to it [illegible] caused the [illegible] tragedy this morning.

It is [illegible] that Tinsley has an other wife in Townsend, Mont.

When the stomach is tired out it must have rest, but we can't live without food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat so that you can eat all the good food you want while it is restoring the digestive organs to health. It is the only preparation that digests all kinds of food. Hefley's Vedarium Drug Co. and C. L. Smith, 117 Tejon St.

### Holiday Rates Santa Fe Route

Low holiday rates will be made to all points in Colorado on the Santa Fe Route. One fare round trip. Tickets will be good going December 24, [illegible] and 31 and January 1 and return to January 2 inclusive.

C. C. Hoyt,
City Passenger Agent.

### MASSACHUSETTS WATER WORKS

#### 4,000 Acres Stripped to the Depth of a Foot to Prevent Microbe Infection

The magnitude of the work of building the [illegible] Wachusett reservoir can be appreciated when first understood that the plans of the board called for the stripping of the entire area to be occupied by the [illegible] water to a depth of about one foot. This means the removal of one foot of soil from an area containing 4,195 acres of land, not a small task in itself. The cost of this item alone will exceed $3,000,000.

This stripping of the soil is a proof of the thoroughness of the board's work. The three engineers Henry H. [illegible] Wilmer R. Evans and Henry [illegible]. [illegible] showed no hesitation in deciding to incur this expense when it became a question of absolutely pure water [illegible] contaminated [illegible] peat, mud and other organic matter which accumulate at the bottom and along the sides of reservoirs there is danger of germ and microbe infection [illegible] danger but enough to warrant the cheerful paying out of millions to avoid this pollution.

The main dam which is the key to the whole situation is a big one [illegible] across a narrow gorge about three [illegible] feet above the dam of the [illegible] mills at Clinton. The general [illegible] of the cross section is the same as that adopted for the new Croton dam in New York. It is similar in many respects to the Furens [illegible] the Furens [illegible] built in 1866 and to the [illegible] dam of the Bombay water works constructed in 1891. The dam will rise ten feet above the [illegible] full reservoir. At the water [illegible] it has a thickness of nineteen feet [illegible] below the water line the thickness increases to 116½ feet.

It is composed entirely of masonry. Its total length is 1,[illegible] feet [illegible] depth from high water to [illegible] extending forty feet and [illegible] the fifth exceeds 120 feet in depth. The maximum depth from high water to the [illegible] of the down stream edge of the dam is 1[illegible] feet.

[illegible] of the [illegible] topography of the north [illegible] waste channel for [illegible] the water during [illegible] permitting it to flow [illegible] high [illegible] The [illegible] will [illegible] its large quantity of water equal to [illegible] inches in depth over the whole water [illegible] hours. The [illegible] of the [illegible] is to have [illegible] at the level of the full [illegible] for a length of 1,0[illegible] feet. It is proposed to keep the masonry [illegible] three feet [illegible] full height by means of [illegible] planks [illegible].

Next in importance to the building of the [illegible] the construction of the Wachusett aqueduct. This [illegible] was completed in 1898, embracing [illegible] a tunnel two miles long through [illegible] [illegible] quite a [illegible] seven miles long with [illegible] bridge of seven spans and [illegible] feet in length across the Assabet River and [illegible] open channel [illegible] miles long following the course of a brook into Sudbury reservoir.

The masonry aqueduct which is [illegible] feet [illegible] inches [illegible] has a maximum capacity of 300,000,000 gallons daily. It [illegible] at a point in the Sudbury [illegible] in the town of Northborough. [illegible] [illegible] miles through an open channel which is [illegible] to Sudbury [illegible] a second aqueduct issues branching at Weston into two great pipe lines, one taking a northeasterly course to Arlington, the other running southeast to Chestnut Hill reservoir.

The cost of the tunnel was $31,[illegible] of the masonry conduit including terminal chambers $5[illegible] of the Assabet bridge $[illegible] of the open channel $[illegible] including preliminary and engineering work and other items the total cost of the aqueduct was $1,763,[illegible] [illegible] Lewis in Ainslee's.

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### FOR THOSE WHO WANT TO KNOW

#### Pertinent Queries and Apt Replies Given for Those Fond of Tales of the Track

To the Editor of the Gazette:

To decide a few holiday bets will you kindly answer the following questions:

Q. What railroad was it that last week ran a special train from Omaha to some point in Montana? Why, what the distance and what was the speed?

A. The Burlington. The distance Omaha to Billings, Mont., is 891 miles. The average rate of speed was [illegible] miles per hour. On the last half of the run the train was slowed down. The special was to rush that the daughter of Mr. McCormick, who chartered the train, was out of danger and we [illegible] [illegible]

Q. What railroad ran the celebrated Mayhew [illegible] [illegible] Chicago to Denver and when?

A. The Burlington from Chicago to Denver 1,0[illegible] miles in 1[illegible] minutes, the world's record for long distance fast running [illegible] [illegible] 18[illegible]. As was the case with the McCormick special the [illegible] was made only [illegible] [illegible] minutes notice.

Q. What is the fastest time now made between Denver and Chicago and between Denver and St. Louis?

A. The Burlington Chicago train from Denver arrives in Chicago the next evening at [illegible] and in St. Louis the next evening at 6:[illegible]. [illegible] mail [illegible] as fast time.

Q. How long and how old is the Burlington [illegible]?

A. It is 8,0[illegible] miles long and growing longer every day. Fifty years ago the Burlington was an insignificant [illegible] [illegible] thirty three miles long [illegible] Chicago and terminating near Aurora, Ill. Today Burlington [illegible] eleven great states of the west and it employs more than [illegible] [illegible]

Q. About how many tickets are issued a year by this railroad?

A. The railroad tickets sold by the Burlington during the last twelve months would if placed end to end reach [illegible] of [illegible] miles and the number is several millions.

### HOLIDAY RATES

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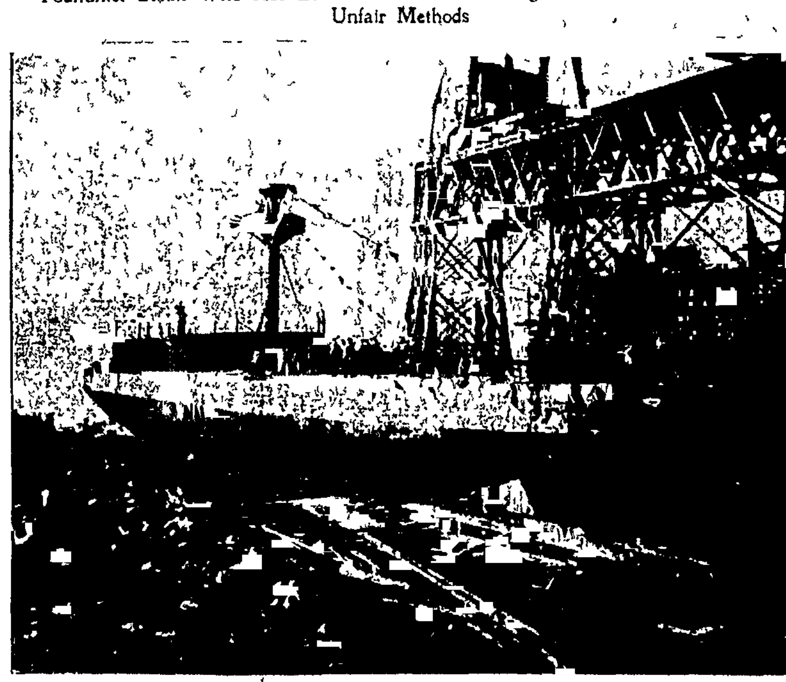
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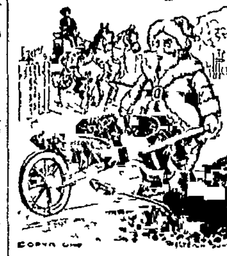


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[illegible] Burlington [illegible] over [illegible] in April [illegible] in December.

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# NOTICE

## To Water Takers.

THIS is the LAST WEEK to PAY WATER RENTS.

Unless paid by January 1st, 1901, the water will be TURNED OFF.

The EXPENSE of having it TURNED ON will be One ($1 00) Dollar in addition to the water tax.

MOSES T. HALE,
City Treasurer.


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...D—Situation by a young man ...wo years' experience in a large ...n office; health good. Address ...52 Bank block.

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...YOU WANT A HOME? ...gs Bros. will build you one and ...you on easy monthly payments. ...orth Tejon street.

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...your clothing is in an untidy ...on come to the Pantatorium and ...em pressed and cleaned. Our dry ...process is absolutely uninjur... garments. 17 E. Bijou.

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...BODY to know that we do flat ...such as bed and table linen from ...per dozen; special rate to large ...houses. Star laundry, 115 North...

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...D—To buy a good family driving ...Must have a good gait; 1321 N. ...treet.

...IES, clocks, jewelry repaired. ...ng, $1.00; mainsprings, $1.00. T. M. ...216 North Tejon.

...BICYCLES for $20.00. We repair ... Nenderhouser, 3 South Cascade.

...ALL—Rain wagons and carts on ...able terms. 21 West Huerfano.

...your wardrobes of surplus cast... thing at 9 West Huerfano.

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...NT—Nicely furnished house of sev... ...ms and bath, cement cellar, fur... ...rge yard, on car line in Brook... Hastings Bros., 22 North Tejon.

...NT—Furnished desirable houses in ...rts of the city. Come see us. J. W. Coffey, ...e 276. 13 North Tejon st.

...NT—Two nicely furnished front ...privilege of bath, furnace heat, ...cold water. 218 South Tejon ...Alamo park.

...furnished second story front and ...ing room, southern exposure $5 ...per month. No. 522 West Pike's ...venue.

...NT—Furnished south room with... ...oard in a private family, North ...avenue. Address Y 45 Gazette.

...Sunny front room, with or with... ...ard; no children; terms reason... ...th end. Address Z 28 Gazette.

## TO RENT FURNISHED.

TO RENT—Furnished; 5 room, modern cottage, gas for cooking and lighting; to grown persons for three months; 51 Bank block.

TO RENT—Furnished two connecting south rooms, outside entrance, furnace heat, use of bath. 506 North Weber street.

TO RENT—Four rooms, furnace heat, electric light, bath; furnished or unfurnished. 129 East Pike's Peak.

TO RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms single or en suite; suitable for two gentlemen. 101 North Tejon street.

TO RENT—Furnished south room in private family, good location, new house. Address Z. 31, Gazette.

FINELY furnished rooms, single or en suite, heat, light and bath. 515 North Weber street.

TO RENT—To adults, furnished housekeeping rooms, down stairs. 111 East Las Animas.

TO RENT—Four room cottage, complete, is far apart for housekeeping. 316 East Vermijo.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping, bath, hot water, etc., 16 North Oak street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 1609 North Nevada avenue.

TO RENT Furnished, one or two nice front rooms, quick. 531 East Platte.

TO RENT—Three room house, furnished or unfurnished. 521 East Pike's Peak.

TO RENT—Dining room and kitchen. Park View cottage, 226 South Tejon.

TO RENT—Nicely furnished rooms at No. 216 East Huerfano street. Mrs. Gray.

SUNNY well furnished rooms opposite Loretto academy. 50 Sierra Madre.

TO RENT—Furnished room with electric light and bath. 717 South Tejon.

FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping, close in, modern. 121 E Cucharas.

TO RENT—Furnished room, close in. Apply 48 South Wahsatch.

TO RENT—One-room cottage, furnished. Apply 20 East Costilla.

THREE rooms furnished. 26 West Rio Grande.

LARGE pleasant room. 55 East Willamette.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, 218 North Wahsatch.

FURNISHED front room. 627 North Corona.

FURNISHED rooms, 118 East St. Vrain.

## TO RENT UNFURNISHED.

EIGHT-ROOM house, modern, west side, $40.00. Jones and Drake, Phone 157. 27 North Tejon.

TO RENT—Three nice unfurnished rooms for housekeeping; use of bath, at 659 North Wahsatch.

TO RENT—Front and back parlor in modern house. Inquire 105 North Tejon.

## TO RENT BUSINESS.

TO RENT—Desk room Hastings Bros. 22 North Tejon.

## FOR SALE REAL ESTATE.

SOUTH END REALTY CO.
701 S. Tejon. Phone 453-A.
SNAPS! SNAPS!

For a Christmas home go and see the South End Man; he's got them for you at 701 South Tejon street.

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| 4 room house and lot, good location, $300 down, bal. $8.20 per month | $ 925 |
| 3 rooms and full lot, $100 down, bal. $10 per month | 650 |
| 4 rooms, close to car line, half cash, bal. easy | 850 |
| 4 room house and lot, $150 down, bal. $10 per month | 750 |
| 4 rooms and lots, $207 down, $10 per month, close to car and school | 1300 |
| 6 rooms, full lot, $200 down, $50 every 3 months (a snap) | 1600 |
| 5 room, modern, and full lot, barn, lawn, $500 down and $25 per mo. | 2500 |
| 6 rooms, corner, on Tejon, $500 down, bal. $25 per month | 1950 |
| 7 rooms, modern, north, lot 50x208, shade and lawn, will trade for smaller property or sell, $500 down, bal. $25 per month | 2500 |
| 12 rooms, modern, North Weber, full lot, all in good condition; will make terms to suit | 7500 |

All kinds of property, all over the city, on easy terms. See me.

VACANT LOTS.

North, South, East and West. Bristol Heights Lots—$20 down, bal. $10 per month, from $100 to $600, on car line. I can sell you a lot $10 down and $5 per month and build you a house. See me. South End Man can loan you money in any quantity, on long time and easy terms. See me.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

Three or four good groceries, small and large, good location. See me at 701 South Tejon.

Small hay and grain business.

Good hotel in mining camp; all complete; doing good business.

Paying laundry, cheap, $800.

Beer and bottling works; $1,100.

3500 acres of fine timber and farm land in southeast Missouri to trade for property here. See me; 701 South Tejon.

Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and Colorado farm and ranch lands for trade or sale. See me.

SOUTH END REALTY CO.
H. C. FORTSON, Manager.

PERKINS, MORTON & CO.

7 SOUTH TEJON ST.

**For Sale—9-room brick house on Colorado avenue, bath, hot and cold water, good barn, lot 50x150 feet, $2,800.**

**7-room house, bath, hot and cold water, fire place, cement cellar, barn, lot 33x130 feet. $1,900.**

**50x150 foot lot, facing south on Washington avenue. $700.**

**¼ block facing south on Grant avenue at a bargain.**

W. L. COOK.
Real Estate, Loans and Insurance.
43 Durkee Building, Telephone 354.
J. J. Connor, City Agent.

A large list of houses; all prices from $300 to $10,000.

Vacant lots, north end, $700 to $7,000.

Vacant lots in Roswell, Nob Hill, Colorado City and Manitou.

Arcadia still booming, lots for $150 to $300, easy terms.

Blacksmith shop cheap. Come in and get price.

W. L. COOK.
43 Durkee building. Telephone 354.
Real Estate, Loans and Insurance.

A home for $950; small cash payment.

Vacant lots from $50 to $5,000 on easy terms.

## FOR SALE REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—

A beautiful residence of 11 rooms, not too far north and in the best residence section, full lot, barn, lawn and shade $6,750.

5 rooms, besides alcoves, closets and bath, full lot, beautiful location, north $3,500.

$1250 buys a 4-room cottage and over an acre of ground, close in, on west side.

Wood avenue property—One 6-room cottage, hot water heat, electric lights, well furnished and convenient; also one neat four-room cottage on rear of lot. Brings in rental $42.00 per month, $1,200 down; balance on time. Lot 50x190 feet; east front; $1,200.

We have:

Two lots on East Cache la Poudre, price $125.00 each. We will consider a reasonable offer.

Two well located lots on Wood avenue, 50x190 each, price of each $1,500.

We have a number of cheap homes in the north end.

We can sell one nice corner, 50x190 feet on Jefferson and Nevada, for a few days only $1,000.

C. E. Tyler and Co.,
17 North Tejon.

BARGAINS

Now that you are getting over the effects of that Christmas dinner and are looking about for a chance to turn a dollar, don't forget to call on us. While you have been eating turkey we have been running down snaps. What do you say to this? We have a lot 50x190 feet with good renting house, located up against business property, that we can sell you for $5,750 on very easy terms. Small amount down. This will be business property in less than two years. We have others. Come and see us.

Irvine and Cotten,
28½ North Tejon.

A. L. RICH & CO.

Call your attention to bargains in houses as follows:

7 rooms, modern, northeast, worth $2,250; will take $1,900 cash.

1 rooms for $950.

Three houses, good renters, $3,000.

Look at our offers for trade.
A. L. RICH & CO.

FOR SALE—

We will sell thirty acres of land joining the city limits, convenient to city water, crossed by the wires of the Colorado Springs Electric company, for light and heat, good smooth ground, suitable for city lots; convenient to car line, and only—

$150.00 per acre.
C. E. Tyler;
17 North Tejon street.

TO TRADE—

Three fine city properties in Idaho.
Fine general store in Oregon.
For good improved
Colorado Springs property.
A. L. Rich & Co.,
104 East Pike's Peak ave.

TO TRADE—

Good vacant Ivywild property for improved property in good location in Colorado Springs.

C. E. Tyler and Co.,
17 North Tejon.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, modern house in Brookside, 7 rooms, bath, furnace, electric lights, large cement cellar, lot 50x300. Cash or time. Hastings Bros., 22 N. Tejon street.

**J. W. COFFEY,**

**REAL ESTATE,**

**LOANS AND INSURANCE.**

**13 NORTH TEJON. PHONE 276.**

FOR SALE—
We must Sell

On car line, 119x150 feet on car line corner Spruce and Cahn's place. Price $1,050, but make us an offer.
C. E. Tyler and Co.,
17 North Tejon.

**I HAVE A SNAP in fine building lots on east side. Easy terms. J. W. Coffey, 13 N. Tejon street.**

FOR SALE—House three rooms, lot 40x145, good cellar, No. 117 North Pitkin street.

FOR SALE—Desirable lots on easy terms. Hastings Bros., 22 North Tejon.

## FURNITURE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—The furniture of a seven-room house; also good gentle horse; 232 E. Monument street.

FOR SALE—Dining room furniture. Apply at 2 Audley Place.

## FOR SALE HORSES, BICYCLES

FOR SALE—Heavy team and wagon; 810 East Cache la Poudre.

FOR SALE—Cheap, 1100 lb. horse at 1026 Valley avenue.

## FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Papier-mache newspaper matrices, suitable for carpet or wall lining; very serviceable and durable. Call The Gazette office.

FOR SALE—Choice family milch cows, just fresh. 325 West Costilla.

FOR SALE—Large heater, baseburner, in good condition; 16 N. Oak.

PATENTS for inventions. Price, 11 N. Tejon.

## INSURANCE.

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Fire, life, health and accident insurance.
A. L. Rich and Co.,
104 Pike's Peak

LIFE INSURANCE policies bought for cash. Life Insurance Investment Co., 15 Jacobson building, Denver, Colo.

## BUSINESS CHANCES.

A BIG SNAP.

A fine retail business, center of city, well established trade, will sell for $575 if taken before the first of the year.

ALBERT TORREY AND CO.,
EXCHANGE BANK BLOCK.
A BUSINESS FOR EVERYONE.

IF YOU WANT a home or want to invest your money call on us. We have some bargains.

JONES AND DRAKE,
Real Estate, Loans, Insurance.
Phone 157. 27 North Tejon.

HASTINGS BROS.

Have lots from $250 to $350 on which they will build you a home and sell it to you on small monthly payments.

## LOST.

LOST—On Monday evening on Pike's Peak avenue between Johnson and Wilbur's dry goods store and Tejon street or in the store, a gold horseshoe stick pin set with pearls. Return to Gazette office and receive reward.

LOST—Hartford bicycle with Christy saddle and Dunlop tires. Return to rack in front of Gazette building or send information to A. D. Gazette.

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## BOARD AND ROOMS.

TO RENT—Two furnished rooms en suite, with board; also one single room. No. 3 South Wahsatch.

ROOM AND BOARD, private family, new house, furnace heat. 622 East Cache la Poudre street.

GOOD BOARD and room in private family, modern conveniences. 118 North Walnut.

EXCELLENT Sunday dinners served at 205 East Pike's Peak.

MODERN rooms 18 West Kiowa; near Alta Vista.

SOUTH ROOM, with board. 529 North Nevada.

ROOMS with board. 631 North Weber.

ROOMS with board. 606 North Nevada.

## TO LOAN.

**DAVISON, 116 East Pike's Peak, loans money on pianos, furniture, live stock, notes, life insurance policies; and any other good collateral security; no commission; no delay.**

KENNEDY STOTE & CO.,
9 NORTH TEJON STREET.

We have money to loan at 6 and 7 per cent. Kennedy, Stote & Co.,
9 North Tejon.

MONEY TO LOAN on chattels, household goods, pianos or any good security. M. Finkelstein, room 26, First National Bank building.

INVESTMENT AND LOANS.
Fidelity Savings Association
A. L. Rich and Co., Agents.,
104 Pike's Peak ave.

**TO LOAN—Various sums at 6 to 8 per cent. Wm. G. Shapcott, room 4, Gazette building.**

## MINES AND MINING.

**ALFRED HARVEY—Mining engineer, P. O. Box 971, Denver, Colo. Mines examined. Mill construction.**

## EDUCATIONAL.

COLORADO SPRINGS ACADEMY FOR BOYS—Winter term begins January 2. Prof. J. R. Walton, A. M., principal. Kinnikinick, corner Cache la Poudre and Tejon streets.

**CHAS. W. DOWNING, A. M. (Harvard), tutor; school and college subjects; 523 North Nevada.**

## TO TRADE.

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We have a number of pieces of both vacant and improved property, well located in St. Joseph, Mo., and ranging in prices from $1,150 to $4,000, to exchange with cash difference for Colorado Springs property.

C. E. TYLER & CO.

TO TRADE—

16-acre placer tract, well located in Cripple Creek district, or trade for Colorado Springs residence property, worth $3,000. Irvine and Cotten,
28½ North Tejon.

TO TRADE—

Six rooms, thoroughly modern house in Brookside for vacant property. Hastings Bros., 22 North Tejon street.

TO TRADE—Brand new Stearns bicycle for saddle pony or horse. Address Z 41 Gazette.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

**PUBLIC TYPEWRITING—All kinds of typewriting done on Remington typewriter at reasonable rates at Chamber of Commerce, No. 1 Pike's Peak avenue, corner Cascade.**

EDLOWE, the nearest point to Lanter City; hotel and stage accommodations; H. S. Hickox.

## LEGAL NOTICES

**Notice of Deferred Annual Meeting of The Enola Mining and Milling Company.**

Colorado Springs, Colo., 1st Dec., 1900.

To the Stockholders of The Enola Mining and Milling Company:

Pursuant to action of the board of directors you are hereby notified that the deferred annual meeting of the stockholders of the said company will be held at the office of the said company on Monday, the 31st day of December, A. D. 1900, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in rooms 29 to 32 Giddings block, Colorado Springs, Colo., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

You are further advised that at the said meeting plans will be discussed for meeting the obligations of the company, now amounting to $35,000, of which sum approximately $33,000 is secured by first mortgage upon all property of the said company, now long over due, or making some arrangement for their payment; either by way of reduction or increase in the amount of the capital stock surrendering of certain shares of stock to the treasury for a working fund, or otherwise.

You are further advised that at the said meeting an amendment to the articles of incorporation of the company will be submitted for action to the stockholders in regard thereto, increasing the capital stock of this company from 1,000,500 shares to 2,000,000 shares at par value of $1.00 each, or authorizing a lesser increase if it shall be deemed advisable.

You are further advised that at the said meeting the question of granting a bond and lease upon, or incumbering, or selling all of the property of the company will, in the event of the failure of other plans, be submitted for action of the stockholders thereon.

Propositions will also be submitted to ratify and confirm any act or acts of the board of directors in the premises, or to disaffirm such action if it be considered best, so to do.

Done pursuant to the action of the board of directors. Warren Woods,
F. M. Woods, President.
Secretary.

**To the Stockholders of The Manitou Mining and Milling Company;**

Notice is hereby given of the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the above company, to be held at the office of the company, at Room 1, Everhart block, Colorado Springs, Colorado, on the second Tuesday of January, A. D. 1901, being the 8th day of January of said year, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, for the purpose of electing a board of directors, and for the further purpose of establishing a branch office of said company in the city of Victor, Teller county, Colorado, at which branch office stockholders' and directors' meetings, both regular and special may be held, with the same validity and regularity as at the principal office of the company, and for the further purpose of extending the operations of the company to such counties in the State of Colorado as may be desired, and for the purpose of filing copy of the articles of incorporation in the County of Teller, and for the purpose of transacting all other business incident or appertinent to the matters above set forth.

The Manitou Mining & Milling Co.
By A. B. Brisbin, City.

**Stockholders' Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Colorado Springs, Colorado Springs, Colorado, for the purpose of electing seven (7) directors for the en-



**SPOTTED VELVET WAIST.**

Waists of velvet and velveteen are very fashionable this season. They are both plain and figured, the prettiest among the latter being perhaps those with large spots. The stylish model shown above has black spots upon a white ground and is worn with a black velvet stock and belt. The front has a number of tucks extending to the bust line and the sleeves are finished by two straps with little gold buckles.

suing year will be held at the banking office on Tuesday, January 8, 1901, between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock a. m.
A. Sutton,
Cashier.

**Stockholders' Annual Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Assurance Savings and Loan association will be held on the 15th day of January, 1901, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., in the district court, room No. 2, (stairway on Kiowa street), Colorado Springs, Colo., for the purpose of electing directors of the association for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Signed December 26, 1900.

Willis R. Armstrong,
Francis B. Hill, Secretary.
President.

**Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.**

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of The Exchange National Bank of Colorado Springs, Colorado, for the election of directors and the transaction of other legitimate business, will be held at said bank on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1901, between the hours of 1 o'clock and 3 o'clock p. m. of said day.
A. G. Sharp,
Cashier.

First publication Dec. 8, 1900.
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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE OIL CREEK GOLD MINING COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oil Creek Gold Mining company will be held at its office, No. 32 Postoffice block, Colorado Springs, Colo., at 2 o'clock p. m. January 8, 1901. The object of said meeting is to hear the reports of the officers and for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business proper to come before the meeting. The books for the transfer of stock will close January 2, 1901, and open after the final adjournment of the meeting.

George Krile, Geo. H. Rohrer,
Secretary. President.

**TRAINS TO DENVER.**

**Colorado and Southern Ry.**

4:40 a. m.
5:50 a. m.
7:25 a. m.
8:00 a. m.
10.35 a. m.
11:50 a. m.
3:40 p. m.
6:20 p. m.

City Ticket office 15 North Tejon street. Phone 21.

**Rio Grande Trains.**

| Leave Colo. Springs for Denver. | Leave Denver Returning. |
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| 4:20 a. m. | 8:00 a. m. |
| 7:05 a. m. | 9:30 a. m. |
| 8:35 a m. | 1:30 p. m. |
| 1:21 p. m. | 3:30 p. m. |
| 3:30 p. m. | 8:00 p. m. |
| 5:51 p. m. | 9:30 p. m. |

**Salt Lake Excursion**

On January 13, 14 and 15, the Colorado Midland Ry. will sell tickets to Salt Lake and return at rate of $18.00 for the round trip.

Good for return until January 31.

Call at City Ticket Office, 13 N. Tejon street, or phone 376.

**Daylight Ride thru the Mountains In Tourist Sleepers.**

Over the Colorado Midland railway, leaving Denver Wednesday of each week at 5:30 a. m., running through to Los Angeles, Cal., without change.

The cost of a double lower berth is only $4.50 and the service first-class. Low one-way and round-trip rates to California are quoted, service is the best, and scenery unequaled.

Inquire of agents Colorado Midland railway, for rates, reservations in tourist sleepers, handsome illustrated pamphlets, or address W. F. Bailey, Gen. Pass. Agent, Denver, Colo.

**Going to California?**

Rio Grande trains 10:20 a. m., 11:58 a. m. and 10:37 p. m. Through Pullmans, dining cars and tourist sleepers. Office, 16 North Tejon street.

The Rio Grande will sell tickets via Denver and the Burlington, Union Pacific or Rock Island routes or via Pueblo and Missouri Pacific railway. Sleeper accommodations reserved and baggage checked through. Get your tickets in person at this office. Then you will know that they will be correct. The best roads and the best time. Rio Grande office, 16 North Tejon st.

J. M. ELLISON,
General Agent.

**Eight Fast Trains Each Way Daily Between Colorado Springs and Denver, on the Colorado & Southern Ry. It is the best line. City Ticket Office, 15 N. Tejon street.**

**HOLIDAY RATES.**

**Colorado Midland Railway.**

One fare for the round trip to all points in the state. This includes Cripple Creek, Buena Vista, Leadville, Aspen, Glenwood and Grand Junction. Tickets on sale December 24, 25, 31, and January 1.

Call for further information at City Ticket Office, 13 N. Tejon St.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES.

Via Colorado & Southern Ry.

| | |
|---|---|
| Denver and return | $2.90 |
| Pueblo and return | 1.75 |
| Boulder and return | 4.10 |
| Trinidad and return | 6.15 |

On sale Dec. 24, 25, 31, Jan. 1, return limit Jan. 2.

City Ticket Office, 15 N. Tejon street. Phone 21.

**Holiday Rates.**

One fare Round Trip Colorado points on the Rio Grande R.R. December 24, 25, 31. Return January 2.

**They are Personally Conducted.**

The California Tours, once a week, via Colorado Midland Railway, leaving Denver 8:30 a. m. each Wednesday, are under the personal supervision of an experienced excursion manager who accompanies each party through to Los Angeles, in the splendid Pullman tourist sleepers which are used for these tours. Special attention is given to ladies and children traveling alone; places of interest enroute pointed out; descriptive pamphlets furnished, everything done for the comfort and enjoyment of passengers. The best of Colorado scenery is passed by daylight. The cost of double lower berth in tourist sleeper through from Denver to Los Angeles or San Francisco is but $4.50.

Ask agents of Colorado Midland Railway for ticket rates and reservations, or address the general passenger agent at Denver.

$2.90—DENVER and RETURN—$2.90. Via Colorado & Southern Ry. Dec. 24, 25, 31, Jan. 1, return limit Jan. 2.

**Always on Time to Denver,**

Is the 8 a. m. train on the Colorado & Southern Ry. It is one of the eight daily trains.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES.

One fare for round trip to points in Colorado and New Mexico, Dec. 24, 25, 31, Jan. 1, return limit Jan. 2, on line of Colorado & Southern Ry.

**Rio Grande Trains**

| Leave Colo. Springs for Denver. | Leave Denver Returning. |
|---|---|
| 4:20 a. m. | 8:00 a. m. |
| 7:05 a. m. | 9:30 a. m. |
| 8:35 a m. | 1:30 p. m. |
| 1:21 p. m. | 3:30 p. m. |
| 3:30 p. m. | 8:00 p. m. |
| 5:51 p. m. | 9:30 p. m. |

**Always on Time to Denver,**

Is the 8 a. m. train on the Colorado & Southern Ry. It is one of the eight daily trains.

**Santa Fe Route.**

Trains to Denver leave Colorado Springs
4:40 a. m.
5:50 a. m.
7:25 a. m.
8.00 a. m.
10:35 a. m.
11:50 a. m.
3:40 p. m.
6:20 p. m.

An equal number of trains leave Denver, returning at convenient hours.
C. C. Hoyt,
Phone 54. City Passenger Agent.

**3 Through Trains Daily—3**

To Pacific coast over Rio Grande R. R. Office, 16 N. Tejon street.

**$18.00 Salt Lake and Return $18.00 Over Rio Grande Railroad,**

January 13, 14, 15, return limit January 31. Choice of four routes.

**HOLIDAY RATES.**

**Colorado Midland Railway.**

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Call for further information at City Ticket Office, 13 N. Tejon St.

**One Fare Round Trip.**

To all points on Rio Grande railroad in Colorado, December 24, 25, 31, January 1. Return limit January 2.

## LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 11, 1900.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to a resolution of the board of directors on the 10th day of December, 1900, that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Colorado Springs and Cripple Creek District Railway company is hereby called, and will be held on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the office of said company in the city of Colorado Springs, El Paso county, Colorado; for the purpose of considering and acting upon a proposition to borrow money and to issue second mortgage five (5) per cent. twenty (20) year gold bonds of the company in an amount not to exceed one million dollars ($1,000,000) for the purpose of ... and equipping the company's lines of railroad and extensions thereof, to secure the due payment of the principal and interest of said bonds by second mortgage or deed of trust upon all the franchises and property of the company, acquired or to be acquired, and of considering, and, in proper case, approving a form of the proposed bond and mortgage or deed of trust to be submitted at said meeting.

The transfer books of the company will be closed at noon on the 5th day of January, 1901, and reopened on the third day next succeeding the final adjournment of the said meeting.

By order of the board.
E. P. Dreper, Secretary.

First insertion, Dec. 12, 1900.
Last insertion, Jan. 9, 1901.

BANKRUPT'S PETITION FOR DISCHARGE.

In the matter of McLane Smith, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

To the Honorable Moses Hallett, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Colorado.

McLane Smith of Independence, in the County of Teller and State of Colorado, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 12th day of November, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 12th day of December, A. D. 1900.

McLane Smith,
Bankrupt.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.

District of Colorado, ss.

On this 21st day of December, A. D. 1900, on reading the foregoing petition, it is—

Ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1901, before John R. Cochran, referee in bankruptcy, at Colorado Springs, in said district, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Colorado Springs Weekly Gazette, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the referee shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Moses Hallett, judge of the said court, and the seal thereof at Denver, in said district, on the 21st day of December, 1900.

(Seal of the Court.) Charles W. Bishop, Clerk.

December 26, 1900. John R. Cochran, Referee.

BANKRUPT'S PETITION FOR DISCHARGE.

In the matter of Theodore De Harport, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

To the Honorable Moses Hallett, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Colorado.

Theodore De Harport of Cripple Creek, in the County of Teller and State of Colorado, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 5th day of November, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 21st day of December, A. D. 1900.

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Bankrupt.

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(Seal of the Court.) Charles W. Bishop, Clerk.

December 26, 1900. John R. Cochran, Referee.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Pueblo, Colo., November 10, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before United States Land Office at Pueblo, Colorado, on January 10, 1901, viz: Josef Tomsic; H. E. 9073 for the N. W. ¼ Sec. 28, T. 12 S., R. 60 W., 6th P. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Andrew Martin, Asher L. Stern, George Klobuchar, Markus Gorsa, all of Glenn, Colo.

Also notice is hereby given that Aquilla following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before United States Land Office at Pueblo, Colo., on January 10, 1901, viz: Andrew Martin; H. E. 8565, for the E. ½ N. E. ¼, N. ½ S. E. ¼ Sec. 28, T. 12 S., R. 60 W., 6th P. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Josef Tomsic, Asher L. Stern, George Klobuchar, Markus Gorsa, all of Glenn, Colo.

J. R. Gordon, Register.

First insertion, Nov. 14, 1900.
Last insertion, Dec. 19, 1900.

**Salt Lake Excursion**

On January 13, 14 and 15, the Colorado Midland Ry. will sell tickets to Salt Lake and return at rate of $18.00 for the round trip.

Good for return until January 31.

Call at City Ticket Office, 13 N. Tejon street, or phone 376.

## RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

**DENVER AND RIO GRANDE R. R.**

Important change in time.
—(South and West.)—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 5 | For Pueblo, Canon City, Leadville, Salt Lake, San Francisco and Portland Leaves | 10:20 a m |
| No. 1 | For Pueblo, Canon City, Leadville, Salt Lake, San Francisco, Portland and local points, leaves | 11:58 a m |
| No. 9 | For Pueblo and Canon City, leaves | 4:12 p m |
| No. 11 | For Pueblo, Kansas City, St. Louis, leaves | 5:47 p m |
| No. 3 | For Pueblo, Leadville Glenwood, Salt Lake, Ogden and Pacific coast points, leave | 10:37 p m |
| No. 15 | For Cripple Creek, Gunnison, Ouray and Grand Junction, leaves | 12:07 a m |
| | —(For Denver and East.)— | |
| No. 16 | From Cripple Creek, Gunnison, Ouray, New Mexico, Durango and Alamosa, leaves | 4:20 a m |
| No. 6 | From California and Utah for Chicago, leave | 7:05 a m |
| No. 12 | From St. Louis, Kansas City and Pueblo, leave | 9:33 a m |
| No. 2 | From California, Oregon, Utah and Colorado points, leave | 1:21 p m |
| No. 10 | From Pueblo and Canon City, leave | 3:30 p m |
| No. 4 | From California, Oregon Idaho, Montana, Utah and Colorado points, for Chicago, leave | 5:51 p m |

—(Manitou Branch)—

Leave Colorado Springs 8:15 a. m., 12:06 p. m., 6:50 p. m.

Leave Manitou, 7:15 a. m., 9:00 a. m., 12:55 p. m.

Note—Fifteen minutes run between Colorado Springs and Manitou.

**"THE COLORADO ROAD."**

**The Colorado & Southern Ry.**

Depot—East Pike's Peak Avenue (Union Passenger Station).

—(North Bound.)—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 1 | For Denver and Central City | 4:40 am |
| No. 11 | For Denver, Boulder, Ft. Collins | 5:50 am |
| No. 1 | For Denver, Boulder and East | 7:25 am |
| No. 1 | For Denver, Chicago, St. Louis | 11:50 am |
| No. 13 | For Denver, via Manitou Junction | 3:00 am |
| No. 617 | For Denver and East | 10:35 am |
| No. 6 | For Denver | 3:40 pm |
| No. 3 | For Denver, Chicago, St. Louis and East | 6:20 pm |
| | —(South Bound.)— | |
| No. 8 | For Pueblo | 5:35 am |
| No. 10 | From Denver (arrives) | 3:15 pm |
| No. 4 | For Pueblo | 11:00 am |
| No. 2 | For Pueblo, Trinidad and Texas | 2:30 pm |
| No. 602 | For Pueblo | 6:30 pm |
| No. 6 | For Pueblo and Chicago | 10:30 pm |
| No. 12 | From Denver (arrives) | 11:30 pm |
| No. 14 | From Denver, via Manitou Junction (arrives) | 7:00 pm |

G. M. Jacobs, C... Agt.
Phone 21. 15 N. Tejon st.

**ATCHISON, TOPEKA & SANTA FE RAILWAY.**

**(Santa Fe Route.)**

Union Passenger Station, East Pike's Peak Avenue.

Time table December 27, 1900.

SOUTH AND EAST BOUND.

| | |
|---|---|
| From Denver to Cripple Cr. k. | 7:15 am |
| From Denver to Kansas City and Chicago, and to California and New Mexico | 6:00 am |
| California Limited | 11:00 am |
| To Pueblo, except Sunday, (mixed train) | 1:30 pm |
| Denver to Pueblo | 2:30 pm |
| Denver to Kansas City and Chicago | 6:30 pm |
| Denver to Kansas City and Chicago, (Very fine vestibuled, electric lighted) | 10:30 pm |

NORTH BOUND.

| | |
|---|---|
| From C. M. Ry. to Denver | 6:00 am |
| Denver, Boulder and Fort Collins | 8:30 am |
| From Chicago and Kansas City to Denver, also brings sleeper from La Junta with California passengers | 7:25 am |
| To Denver (via Elizabeth) | 8:00 am |
| Pueblo and Denver Express | 10:35 am |
| From Texas to Denver | 11:50 am |
| From La Junta to Denver | 3:00 pm |
| Pueblo to Denver | 6:30 pm |

C. C. Hoyt,
City Passenger Agent.
15 N. Tejon street, Opera House bl'k.
A. K. Ford, Station Agent.

**THE ROCK ISLAND ROUTE.**

—(Leave Colorado Springs.)—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 6 | Vestibuled Limited, from Chicago and St. Louis, via Kansas City, St. Joe and Omaha | 3:40 pm |
| No. 10 | Kansas City, St. Joe, Omaha and St. Louis | 2:35 pm |
| No. 6 | Limited to Pueblo | 7:55 am |
| | —(Arrive Colorado Springs.)— | |
| No. 5 | Vestibuled Limited from Chicago | 7:35 am |
| No. 9 | Fast Express from Chicago | 10:45 am |

W. W. Wood, Gen'l Agt.

**COLORADO MIDLAND RAILWAY**

**Time Card.**

WEST BOUND.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 3 | Salt Lake and San Francisco, limited, leaves | 12:05 am |
| No. 9 | Cripple Creek and Victor Express, leaves | 2:30 am |
| No. 7 | Cripple Creek and Victor Local, leaves | 7:15 am |
| No. 5 | Leadville, Glenwood, Salt Lake and San Francisco Express, leaves | 11:05 am |
| | EAST BOUND. | |
| No. 10 | Cripple Creek and Victor Exp. arrives | 3:40 am |
| No. 6 | San Francisco, Salt Lake and Glenwood Express arrives | 5:50 am |
| No. 8 | Cripple Creek and Victor Local, arrives | 10:35 pm |
| No. 4 | San Francisco and Salt Lake Limited, arrives | 4:15 pm |

City Ticket Office, 13 N. Tejon st.,
Chas Chandler,
City Passenger Agent.

**THE MISSOURI PACIFIC.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lv. 5:47 pm. | Colorado Springs | Ar. | 9:32 am |
| Ar. 7:00 pm. | Pueblo | Lv. | 8:10 am |
| Lv. 7:30 pm. | Pueblo | Ar. | 7:50 am |
| Ar. 5:40 pm. | Kansas City | Lv. | 10:00 am |
| Lv. 9:50 pm. | Kansas City | Ar. | 7:10 am |
| Ar. 7:10 am. | St. Louis | Lv. | 9:15 pm |

The best line. Only one change of cars between Colorado and New York City, in Union depot—no transfer. Through Pullman palace buffet sleeping coaches and free reclining chair cars. All trains lighted with the famous Pintsch gas light and heated with steam (no danger of fire).

J. M. Ellison, Pass. & Tkt. Agt.,
H. Wildman, 16 N. Tejon St.
Tel. 21. No. 15 N. Tejon St.
Ticket Agent, Union Depot.

**FAST TRAINS.**

**On the Colorado and Southern Railway.**

| Leave Colorado Springs. | Ar. Denver. |
|---|---|
| No. 9—4:40 a. m. | 7:00 a. m. |
| No. 11—5:50 a. m. | 8:10 a. m. |
| No. 13—8.00 a. m. | 11:00 a. m. |
| No. 5—7:25 a. m. | 10:00 a. m. |
| No. 1—11:50 a. m. | 2:15 p. m. |
| No. 617—10:35 a. m. | 12:50 p. m. |
| No. 603—3:40 p. m. | 6:10 p. m. |
| No. 3—6:20 p. m. | 8:45 p. m. |
| | Ar. Pueblo. |
| No. 8—5.35 a. m. | 7:00 a. m. |
| No. 4—11:00 a. m. | 12:10 p. m. |
| No. 2—2:30 p. m. | 3:45 p. m. |
| No. 602—6:20 p. m. | 7:35 p. m. |
| No. 6—10:30 p. m. | 11:50 p. m. |

G. M. Jacobs, Com. Agt.
City Ticket Office No. 15 N. Tejon st.
Phone 21.

**TRAINS TO PUEBLO.**

**Colorado and Southern Ry.**

5:35 a. m.
11:00 a. m.
2:30 p. m.
6:20 p. m.
10:30 p. m.

City Ticket office, 15 North Tejon street. Phone 21.

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## BRIEF CITY ITEMS.

### DAILY WEATHER RECORD

The following meteorologic l report is furn[illegible] by the Col[illegible] College weath[illegible] Observ[illegible] recorded in lo cal [illegible]

[illegible]

### WEATHER FORECAST

[illegible]

The Colorado Springs Transfer Co. [illegible] stores [illegible] hold goods

[illegible]

F[illegible] dollar Douglas shoe fo[illegible]

NEW YEAR'S [illegible]

[illegible]

LAND PATENT [illegible]

[illegible]

Special sal[illegible] on [illegible]

[illegible]

RATHBONE SISTERS—[illegible]

WHIPPLE TAKEN [illegible] Hartford [illegible] Christy [illegible] and Dunlop [illegible]

[illegible]

LADIES' AID [illegible]

FOR SALE—Several thousand feet of [illegible] per M in order [illegible] must [illegible] Houston [illegible]

FED TWO HUNDRED—Through [illegible] meals to over 200 hungry people.

DANCE—[illegible] Mrs. T. C. [illegible] the host[illegible] of the [illegible] people of the city [illegible]

FESTIVAL POSTPONED—[illegible] pastor of the [illegible] church [illegible] festival

WOMAN'S UNION—The Woman's [illegible] Congregational [illegible] weekly meeting [illegible] by Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Mohler [illegible]

HIS OWN CLERK—County Judge [illegible] clerk of the district [illegible] Exchange National Bank [illegible]

#### Young People

[illegible] Bookkeeping [illegible] shorthand [illegible]

## CRAIGUE'S TUESDAY

Christmas [illegible]

[illegible]

#### The Latest

[illegible] best sty[illegible] in ladies' [illegible] shoes from $[illegible] Also Finger's celebrat[illegible] $[illegible]90 [illegible] 30 N. Tejon.

Persons desiring lessons in vertical writing call upon Miss McVanis 11 North Nevada.

[illegible] clothes [illegible] Tejon. Phon[illegible]

#### Gentlemen

[illegible] of winter shoes from $3 [illegible] we can get [illegible] better Smyth, 30 N. Tejon.


# Talk No. 46

## We Are Pleased

[illegible] patrons [illegible] MERRY XMAS [illegible] HAPPY NEW YEAR [illegible] for New Year's gifts

R. ASHBY, THE OPTICAL JEWELER
Bank Building Colorado Springs.



### For Sale or Trade.

Twenty acres [illegible] patented land on [illegible] Cripple Creek
Address Box 1[illegible] Colorado Springs



I WISH TO THANK MY MANY PATRONS for an extremely large and very satisfactory Christmas trade.

I also wish to announce that my stock is yet in good condition and from this date until January 1, 1901 all goods will be sold at a liberal discount for the purpose of turning stock to cash before inventory.

C. L. Van Wert Jeweler,
108 Pike's Peak Ave



Educating people *up* to Ward quality and *down* to Ward prices

## Your Throat

[illegible] Cough Syrup [illegible]

WARD'S DRUG STORE
107 PIKE'S PEAK AVE.



# French Flannels

## At 59c Yard

17 pieces of pretty figured and polka dot, all wool French Flannels, the usual 75c quality, at 59c yard.

# Outing Flannels

## At 10c Yard

50 pieces of extra heavy twilled outing flannels, in pretty stripes and checks

This is the outing we sold at 12½c yard

Cash and One Price **HIBBARD & CO.** 19 South Tejon Street



## Ripe Olives?

## Yes!

We sell the finest California RIPE OLIVES on the market

New Fruit now in

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You may be sure when you have GUTMANN Fill your PRESCRIPTIONS

[illegible]

F. L. GUTMANN,
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25% DISCOUNT
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ITALIAN BISQUE AND TOILET SETS

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Everything in the Photo Line Always in Stock

Hot Soda Lowney's Candies

Korsmeyer & Beeson,
Leading Prescription Druggists
8 South Tejon Street Phone 80



### Received

[illegible] of Xmas Music [illegible] Books [illegible]

Colorado Springs Music Company
1[illegible] North Tejon
[illegible]



## If You Are Going to Give a Dinner Party,

[illegible] the Pearl Market [illegible] every week

The Pearl Oyster and Fish Market

Phone 43 [illegible] Kiowa st
W. I. FRISTO Manager



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University of New York 1863

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Diseases Peculiar to Women.
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Diseases of the Stomach
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Nervous Skin Diseases Nasal Catarrh
Cancers Tumors and Goitre.
The modern treatment of consumption. Rooms 22 and 24 De Graff block, [illegible] North Tejon street



## Got A Horse?

We have the harness light [illegible] working and are going to sell them before the first of the year to make [illegible] our new stock. Stable [illegible] blankets [illegible] and in fact every thing necessary to a good horse [illegible] can save money for you.

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Harness and Saddlery House
14 E. Pike's Peak Ave.
'Phone 574



F. W. WARSOP & CO., 206 N. TEJON ST., Opp North Park

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ALL RUGS, LACE CURTAINS, PORTIERES & RATTAN GOODS at GREATLY REDUCED prices Before Stocktaking.



# Soups—Ready to Use

[illegible] must spend so much time [illegible] good our [illegible] to make [illegible] quart pint and [illegible]

Carpenter & Draper, 132 North Tejon St. Phone 381



# PREMIUM

ANTI-TRUST GROCERY and MARKET
11 East Pikes Peak Ave Telephone 1[illegible]

# FRESH FISH!
## FRIDAY

[illegible] pink checks for Locomobile tickets before January 10
PREMIUM GROCERY
F. B. ROSS Prop

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# KEYSTONE

## GROCERY and MARKET

Phone 136 112 S. Tejon St

Our Meat Department is the most complete in the city.

| Our best cuts of | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Porterhouse Steak | 20c lb | Pork Chops | 10c lb |
| Loin Steak | 15c lb | Pork Roast, | 10c lb |
| Round Steak | 12½c lb | Mutton Chops | 20c lb |
| Shoulder Steak | 8½c lb | Leg of Mutton, | 12½c lb |
| Rib Roast | 15c lb | Mutton Shoulders, | 10c lb |
| Boil Beef | 5 and 6c lb | Veal Cutlets | 25c lb |

We cut only the best Eastern Corn Fed Meats, and buy direct from the packers in car lots consequently we are able to lay our goods at BOTTOM prices, and sell accordingly

## Keystone Home Rendered Lard

3 lb pail - 35c 5 lb pail - 60c 10 lb pail $1 15

This is the same lard as the souvenir pail that we gave away with our Christmas turkeys. There is nothing better made Yours for business,
PLIMPTON, GRAVES & CO.



## Fancy Groceries and Meats

[illegible] full line of first class groceries and [illegible] the best goods for the lowest [illegible] We have [illegible] very fine cooking butter for 18c per pound
We are yours for business

PLUMB BROS.,
Phone 271 128 NORTH TEJON STREET
No Grocery Combine here



# Advertise...

Your "wants" in the want columns of THE GAZETTE



# BEFORE INVENTORY

## Sale of Carpets, Rugs and Draperies

THESE SPECIALS HOLD GOOD FOR ONE WEEK ONLY.

### Carpets Reduced

Best Body Brussels Carpet good patterns with[illegible] border [illegible] made and laid at

**95c a yard.**

Wilton Velvets in [illegible] elaborate designs [illegible] border [illegible] laid at

**90c, $1.10, $1.20 yard.**

[illegible] Axminster [illegible] of choice patterns made and laid [illegible]

**$1.25 a yard.**

Carpet Rugs made from remnants and short lengths beautifully matched at

**25 to 50 Per Cent Discount**

### Curtains, Rugs and Draperies at 25 Per Cent Discount.

This is perhaps the greatest reduction [illegible] in the history of this department [illegible] price [illegible] quality of goods and [illegible] All are seasonable and desirable goods [illegible] marked with a very close margin in the first [illegible]

[illegible] PER CENT OFF ON ALL SMYRNA AND ORIENTAL RUGS

[illegible] PER CENT OFF ON ALL RUFFLED NET AND SWISS CURTAINS

[illegible] PER CENT OFF ON ALL [illegible] CURTAINS AND PORTIERES

MANY OTHER EQUALLY GOOD VALUES TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION MAY ALSO BE FOUND

## LAST WEEK OF DRESS GOODS SALE.

Those who have not taken advantage of this offering should not fail to make the most of this timely event

25 Per Cent Discount on all homespuns, tailor suiting and cheviots.

An exceedingly choice collection of Plaids at half price.

33⅓ Per Cent Discount on all Suits, Jackets, and Children's Garments.

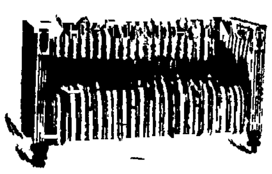
Watch Our Ads for Notice of our Annual Linen Sale

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